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Q1. Growing up, who was the most important caregiver or parental influence in your life?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Mother	74%	76%	72%	66%
Father	14%	12%	17%	17%
Grandmother	4%	5%	4%	5%
Grandfather	1%	1%	2%	3%
Aunt	1%	1%	1%	2%
Uncle	0%	0%	0%	0%
Older sibling	1%	1%	1%	2%
Foster parent	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	2%	2%	3%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	98%	99%	101%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(8075)	(5806)	(524)

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		Race							
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Mother	74%	74%	74%	74%	76%	65%	82%	71%	72%
Father	14%	15%	12%	11%	13%	14%	18%	16%	11%
Grandmother	4%	4%	5%	6%	4%	9%	0%	6%	4%
Grandfather	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	0%	1%	1%
Aunt	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	0%	0%	2%
Uncle	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Older sibling	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	4%	0%	1%	0%
Foster parent	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Other	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	0%	2%	5%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	98%	100%	101%	101%	99%	102%	100%	98%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(9502)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q2. Growing up, how often did you fight with your mother?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Very frequently	11%	13%	9%	15%
Frequently	20%	23%	17%	23%
Occasionally	36%	37%	36%	27%
Rarely	20%	18%	23%	22%
Very rarely	8%	6%	11%	9%
Never	4%	3%	4%	4%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	99%	100%	101%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(8075)	(5804)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Very frequently	11%	11%	12%	11%	12%	12%	29%	12%	12%
Frequently	20%	20%	23%	17%	22%	21%	20%	22%	27%
Occasionally	36%	37%	38%	35%	36%	28%	10%	35%	31%
Rarely	20%	21%	17%	21%	19%	23%	40%	20%	17%
Very rarely	8%	9%	6%	10%	7%	10%	0%	7%	10%
Never	4%	3%	2%	7%	4%	4%	0%	4%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	99%	101%	99%	102%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(9500)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q3. Since coming to college, would you say that your relationship with your parents has become better or worse?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Much better	25%	27%	22%	23%
Slightly better	34%	33%	34%	35%
Stayed about the same	32%	30%	34%	24%
Slightly worse	7%	7%	8%	11%
Much worse	2%	2%	1%	6%
Refused	1%	0%	1%	0%
Total	101%	99%	100%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(8075)	(5806)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Much better	25%	25%	23%	27%	26%	25%	39%	23%	20%
Slightly better	34%	34%	37%	30%	33%	32%	10%	34%	35%
Stayed about the same	32%	32%	30%	32%	32%	27%	41%	34%	30%
Slightly worse	7%	7%	7%	7%	8%	9%	5%	7%	10%
Much worse	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	5%	2%	4%
Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	1%
Total	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(9502)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q4. How close is your current relationship with your mother?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Extremely close	29%	32%	25%	20%
Very close	32%	30%	35%	28%
Somewhat close	25%	23%	27%	25%
Not too close	8%	8%	8%	13%
Not at all close	4%	4%	2%	11%
Not applicable	2%	2%	2%	2%
Refused	1%	0%	1%	0%
Total	101%	99%	100%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14404)	(8075)	(5805)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Extremely close	29%	28%	23%	32%	31%	31%	42%	26%	33%
Very close	32%	34%	34%	27%	31%	33%	22%	30%	31%
Somewhat close	25%	25%	28%	23%	25%	16%	20%	27%	22%
Not too close	8%	7%	10%	9%	9%	9%	10%	10%	7%
Not at all close	4%	4%	2%	5%	3%	6%	6%	4%	3%
Not applicable	2%	2%	1%	4%	1%	2%	0%	2%	3%
Refused	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	1%
Total	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14404)	(9501)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q5. How present was your mother during your childhood?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Extremely present	67%	67%	69%	52%
Very present	19%	19%	20%	24%
Somewhat present	8%	9%	7%	14%
Not too present	3%	4%	3%	7%
Not at all present	1%	1%	1%	2%
Not applicable	0%	0%	1%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	98%	100%	102%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(8075)	(5806)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Extremely present	67%	69%	61%	68%	65%	55%	63%	64%	61%
Very present	19%	19%	23%	17%	20%	22%	24%	21%	25%
Somewhat present	8%	7%	10%	9%	9%	13%	5%	10%	8%
Not too present	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	6%	7%	3%	4%
Not at all present	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
Not applicable	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	98%	99%	100%	102%	99%	100%	99%	101%	101%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(9502)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q6. How present was your father during your childhood?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Extremely present	38%	36%	40%	24%
Very present	27%	26%	28%	24%
Somewhat present	19%	19%	18%	26%
Not too present	9%	10%	7%	14%
Not at all present	6%	7%	5%	9%
Not applicable	1%	1%	1%	3%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	100%	99%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(8075)	(5806)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Extremely present	38%	41%	35%	32%	33%	35%	42%	32%	37%
Very present	27%	28%	29%	20%	26%	26%	29%	28%	26%
Somewhat present	19%	18%	20%	20%	21%	12%	10%	20%	21%
Not too present	9%	8%	10%	10%	10%	13%	18%	11%	9%
Not at all present	6%	4%	4%	15%	8%	10%	0%	8%	4%
Not applicable	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14405)	(9502)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q7. Growing up, how often did you fight with your father?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Very frequently	7%	8%	6%	10%
Frequently	14%	14%	14%	16%
Occasionally	28%	26%	29%	28%
Rarely	26%	26%	26%	24%
Very rarely	13%	13%	13%	11%
Never	11%	12%	10%	11%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	99%	99%	99%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14399)	(8073)	(5802)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Very frequently	7%	7%	8%	6%	8%	8%	25%	8%	5%
Frequently	14%	14%	17%	12%	15%	19%	16%	13%	21%
Occasionally	28%	30%	32%	21%	25%	21%	25%	29%	31%
Rarely	26%	27%	25%	21%	27%	21%	31%	25%	22%
Very rarely	13%	13%	9%	14%	12%	13%	4%	13%	12%
Never	11%	8%	7%	25%	13%	17%	0%	12%	8%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14399)	(9496)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q8. If you had to give your parents a letter grade on how well they raised you, what would you give them?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
A+	32%	29%	36%	13%
A	24%	24%	26%	20%
A-	16%	16%	16%	16%
B+	9%	10%	8%	12%
B	7%	7%	6%	10%
B-	4%	4%	3%	6%
C+	2%	2%	1%	4%
C	2%	2%	1%	4%
C-	2%	2%	1%	5%
D+	1%	1%	1%	1%
D	1%	1%	0%	3%
D-	0%	0%	0%	2%
F	1%	1%	1%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%
Total	101%	99%	101%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14404)	(8075)	(5805)	(524)

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		Race							
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
A+	32%	32%	28%	31%	34%	30%	48%	28%	36%
A	24%	25%	26%	21%	24%	22%	25%	23%	23%
A-	16%	16%	18%	17%	16%	15%	23%	17%	12%
B+	9%	9%	11%	10%	8%	10%	4%	11%	10%
B	7%	7%	7%	8%	5%	9%	0%	7%	7%
B-	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%	6%	0%	4%	3%
C+	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%
C	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%	0%	2%	2%
C-	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%
D+	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
D	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
D-	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
F	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	101%	102%	101%	102%	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%
(Unweighted N)	(14404)	(9501)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q9. How close is your current relationship with your father?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Extremely close	15%	14%	17%	9%
Very close	27%	24%	30%	17%
Somewhat close	29%	29%	28%	28%
Not too close	13%	15%	11%	16%
Not at all close	10%	13%	7%	18%
Not applicable	5%	5%	5%	11%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	99%	100%	99%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(8075)	(5804)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Extremely close	15%	16%	13%	13%	14%	21%	29%	13%	21%
Very close	27%	30%	24%	17%	23%	26%	18%	26%	28%
Somewhat close	29%	29%	34%	27%	29%	20%	25%	27%	24%
Not too close	13%	12%	15%	15%	17%	9%	23%	15%	10%
Not at all close	10%	9%	8%	18%	12%	14%	0%	12%	9%
Not applicable	5%	5%	4%	9%	5%	8%	4%	6%	7%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	0%	1%
Total	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%	99%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(9500)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

Q10. Did you wish your mother a Happy Mother's Day on May 13th?

	Gender			
	Total	Female	Male	Non Binary
Yes	87%	89%	85%	74%
No	9%	7%	11%	18%
Not applicable	4%	4%	4%	7%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	0%
Total	100%	100%	101%	99%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(8075)	(5804)	(524)

	Race								
	Total	White	Asian	Black Or Africa...	Hispanic Latino	American Indian	Native Hawaiian	Two Or More...	Other
Yes	87%	89%	78%	83%	87%	82%	82%	85%	80%
No	9%	7%	16%	12%	10%	11%	6%	9%	15%
Not applicable	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%	13%	6%	5%
Refused	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Total	100%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%
(Unweighted N)	(14403)	(9500)	(1861)	(602)	(1294)	(128)	(19)	(831)	(168)

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