COLLEGE AUTISM NETWORK : FAST FACTS #14

Postsecondary Education: Autistic Collegians' Experiences of Success

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What is Academic Success? Quantitative Findings

OUR RESULTS:

Of our five domains (identity, psychology, academics, community, employment), academics (x = 6.14) was **the most frequently reported indicator of success** both qualitatively and quantitatively

Developing subjectmatter expertise was the fifth-highest item regarding how students defined success (x = 6.17)



Graduating

(x = 6.48) is most

important to students in

representing success

OUR METHODOLOGY:

430 Student Participants in Wave 1 (Fall 2022)

Participants rated the extent to which 20 individual items were "**important to [their] definition of what it means to be a successful college student**" on a scale of 1 (Very Unimportant) to 7 (Very Important); 4 represented the midpoint (Neutral).

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