

Cultural Attitudes and Climate at TC3

1. Please indicate to what degree you agree with the following statements:							
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Rating Average	Response Count
My experiences since coming to TC3 have led me to become more understanding of racial/ethnic differences	2.8% (14)	8.3% (41)	43.5% (214)	35.8% (176)	9.6% (47)	3.41	492
At TC3 getting to know people with racial/ethnic backgrounds different from my own has been easy.	4.1% (20)	10.0% (49)	27.8% (137)	42.3% (208)	15.9% (78)	3.56	492
My social interactions on this campus are largely confined to students of my race/ethnicity.	16.3% (80)	35.0% (172)	23.6% (116)	18.9% (93)	6.3% (31)	2.64	492
At TC3 I feel there are expectations about my academic performance because of my race/ethnicity.	31.5% (155)	36.2% (178)	22.2% (109)	7.7% (38)	2.4% (12)	2.13	492
At TC3 I feel I need to minimize various characteristics of my racial/ethnic culture (e.g. language, dress) to be able to fit in.	35.6% (175)	42.1% (207)	15.4% (76)	5.9% (29)	1.0% (5)	1.95	492
My experiences since coming to TC3 have strengthened my own sense of ethnic identity.	5.1% (25)	15.4% (76)	52.8% (260)	21.1% (104)	5.5% (27)	3.07	492
	answered question						492
	skipped question						0

2. Think about the faculty whose courses you have taken at TC3. How many of them would you describe as:							
	None	Few	Some	Most	All	Rating Average	Response Count
Approachable outside of the classroom?	0.8% (4)	7.1% (35)	15.7% (77)	49.2% (242)	27.2% (134)	3.95	492
Fair to all students regardless of their racial or ethnic backgrounds?	0.4% (2)	2.2% (11)	7.7% (38)	35.4% (174)	54.3% (267)	4.41	492
	<i>answered question</i>						492
	<i>skipped question</i>						0

3. Think about your experiences in the classroom. Please indicate to what degree you agree with the following statements:							
	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Rating Average	Response Count
In my experience, students of different racial/ethnic backgrounds participate equally in classroom discussion and learning.	3.5% (17)	17.1% (84)	17.3% (85)	49.2% (242)	13.0% (64)	3.51	492
I feel I am expected to represent my race or ethnic group in discussions in class.	18.7% (92)	41.9% (206)	28.0% (138)	8.3% (41)	3.0% (15)	2.35	492
Faculty use examples relevant to people of my race/ethnic group in their lectures.	4.5% (22)	14.4% (71)	44.1% (217)	30.5% (150)	6.5% (32)	3.20	492
In my classes I feel that my professors ignore my comments or questions.	43.9% (216)	42.1% (207)	10.8% (53)	2.6% (13)	0.6% (3)	1.74	492
	<i>answered question</i>						492

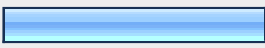
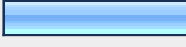
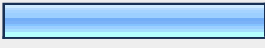
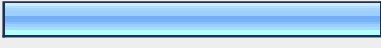
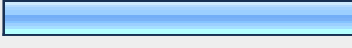
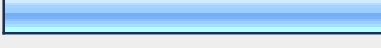
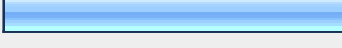
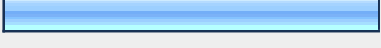
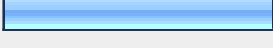
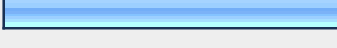
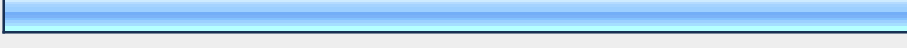
4. Please indicate how comfortable you feel in the following situations at TC3:

	Very Uncomfortable	Uncomfortable	Neutral	Comfortable	Very Comfortable	Rating Average	Response Count
Going to see a faculty member of my own race/ethnicity.	1.4% (7)	0.8% (4)	16.7% (82)	43.3% (213)	37.8% (186)	4.15	492
Speaking with others about my racial/ethnic background.	2.0% (10)	3.5% (17)	20.7% (102)	44.5% (219)	29.3% (144)	3.96	492
Being in situations where I am the only person of my racial/ethnic group.	4.3% (21)	15.0% (74)	25.0% (123)	35.2% (173)	20.5% (101)	3.53	492
Saying what I think about racial/ethnic issues.	3.5% (17)	12.8% (63)	25.8% (127)	40.4% (199)	17.5% (86)	3.56	492
Being with people whose racial/ethnic backgrounds are different from my own.	2.0% (10)	3.9% (19)	15.4% (76)	50.4% (248)	28.3% (139)	3.99	492
Participating in class.	2.0% (10)	4.7% (23)	14.2% (70)	50.4% (248)	28.7% (141)	3.99	492
Going to see a faculty member of a different race/ethnicity than my own.	0.8% (4)	1.2% (6)	12.0% (59)	53.3% (262)	32.7% (161)	4.16	492
Being with people whose racial/ethnic backgrounds are the same as my own.	1.2% (6)	1.4% (7)	11.0% (54)	49.8% (245)	36.6% (180)	4.19	492
	answered question						492
	skipped question						0

5. Please indicate to what degree you agree with the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Unaware	Rating Average	Response Count
TC3 has done a good job providing programs and activities that promote multicultural understanding.	1.3% (6)	4.4% (21)	22.6% (108)	36.4% (174)	16.7% (80)	18.6% (89)	4.19	478
At TC3 students are resentful of others whose race/ethnicity is different from their own.	10.7% (51)	39.7% (190)	21.3% (102)	12.8% (61)	4.0% (19)	11.5% (55)	2.94	478
TC3 should have a requirement for graduation that students take at least one course on the role of ethnicity and race in society.	19.5% (93)	20.7% (99)	27.0% (129)	20.9% (100)	9.6% (46)	2.3% (11)	2.87	478
TC3 does promote the value of diversity.	1.7% (8)	3.6% (17)	19.2% (92)	48.3% (231)	19.5% (93)	7.7% (37)	4.04	478
The College Entertainment Board (C.E.B) coverage of racial/ethnic events and issues is balanced.	1.0% (5)	3.8% (18)	27.0% (129)	26.6% (127)	7.1% (34)	34.5% (165)	4.38	478
Diversity at TC3 was one of the reasons why I chose to come here.	23.0% (110)	30.3% (145)	30.3% (145)	7.1% (34)	3.6% (17)	5.6% (27)	2.55	478
The effort made by TC3 to improve relations and understanding between people of different racial/ethnic backgrounds is just right	2.3% (11)	8.6% (41)	35.8% (171)	29.3% (140)	10.0% (48)	14.0% (67)	3.78	478
	answered question							478
	skipped question							14

6. Which racial/ethnic groups should TC3 make special efforts to recruit as students and as faculty? (Please check all that apply)

		Response Percent	Response Count
Caucasians (Non Hispanic) - Students		17.3%	81
Caucasians (Non Hispanic) - Faculty/ Staff		12.4%	58
African American - Students		17.3%	81
African American - Faculty/ Staff		25.2%	118
Hispanic American - Students		23.2%	109
Hispanic American - Faculty/ Staff		25.4%	119
Native American - Students		22.6%	106
Native American - Faculty/ Staff		24.9%	117
Asian American - Students		17.9%	84
Asian American -Faculty/ Staff		22.2%	104
None- No special efforts should be taken to recruit any particular racial/ethnic group members.		60.6%	284
		answered question	469
		skipped question	23

7. Please indicate to what degree you agree with the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Rating Average	Response Count
TC3 provides an environment for the free and open expression of ideas opinions and beliefs.	0.4% (2)	4.0% (19)	18.1% (86)	60.3% (287)	17.2% (82)	3.90	476
The atmosphere in my classes make me feel like I belong.	1.1% (5)	5.0% (24)	21.2% (101)	54.8% (261)	17.9% (85)	3.83	476
The overall quality of academic programs at TC3 is excellent.	1.7% (8)	4.8% (23)	21.8% (104)	54.2% (258)	17.4% (83)	3.81	476
I feel as though I belong to the TC3 campus community	3.6% (17)	9.5% (45)	28.8% (137)	42.6% (203)	15.5% (74)	3.57	476
	<i>answered question</i>						476
	<i>skipped question</i>						16

8. Please use the scale below to indicate the extent to which you believe each of the following is present at TC3.

	Little or None	Some	Quite A Bit	A Great Deal	Unaware	Rating Average	Response Count
Racial conflict on campus	35.9% (164)	26.9% (123)	5.3% (24)	2.6% (12)	29.3% (134)	2.63	457
Faculty respect students of different racial and ethnic groups	2.4% (11)	8.5% (39)	25.6% (117)	48.1% (220)	15.3% (70)	3.65	457
Students respect other students of different racial and ethnic groups	3.1% (14)	21.4% (98)	39.6% (181)	24.5% (112)	11.4% (52)	3.20	457
Racial/ethnic separation on campus	17.1% (78)	31.3% (143)	16.4% (75)	15.5% (71)	19.7% (90)	2.89	457
Campus commitment to the success of students of different racial and ethnic groups	3.9% (18)	14.9% (68)	26.0% (119)	24.7% (113)	30.4% (139)	3.63	457
Friendship between students of different racial and ethnic groups	2.8% (13)	26.5% (121)	34.8% (159)	23.6% (108)	12.3% (56)	3.16	457
Interracial tensions in the residence halls	18.8% (86)	11.8% (54)	4.6% (21)	2.8% (13)	61.9% (283)	3.77	457
Interracial tensions in the classroom	56.7% (259)	16.8% (77)	3.1% (14)	1.3% (6)	22.1% (101)	2.15	457
Interracial tensions in other dining areas	28.9% (132)	19.9% (91)	6.1% (28)	6.6% (30)	38.5% (176)	3.06	457
Interracial tensions outside the classroom	29.1% (133)	22.8% (104)	5.7% (26)	2.6% (12)	39.8% (182)	3.01	457
	answered question						457
	skipped question						35

9. How fairly do you believe you have been treated by the following:

	Very Unfairly	Unfairly	Fairly	Very Fairly	No Interaction	Rating Average	Response Count	
Campus Safety Officers	1.1% (5)	2.8% (13)	23.9% (109)	24.1% (110)	48.1% (220)	4.15	457	
Residence Hall Personnel	1.3% (6)	2.4% (11)	17.3% (79)	16.2% (74)	62.8% (287)	4.37	457	
Faculty	0.7% (3)	1.1% (5)	39.2% (179)	58.2% (266)	0.9% (4)	3.58	457	
Staff	0.9% (4)	0.7% (3)	40.5% (185)	56.9% (260)	1.1% (5)	3.57	457	
Students	0.9% (4)	2.2% (10)	54.0% (247)	42.0% (192)	0.9% (4)	3.40	457	
	<i>answered question</i>							457
	<i>skipped question</i>							35



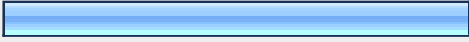
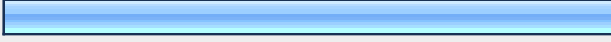
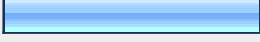
10. In each of these settings to what extent have you been exposed to information about the history, culture and/or social issues of racial and ethnic groups other than whites?

	Little or None	Some	Quite A Bit	A Great Deal	Not Applicable	Rating Average	Response Count	
In course readings lectures and discussions	12.5% (57)	40.0% (183)	23.4% (107)	15.1% (69)	9.0% (41)	2.68	457	
In activities and/ or programs in the Residence Halls	9.2% (42)	15.8% (72)	10.1% (46)	4.8% (22)	60.2% (275)	3.91	457	
In other college programs or activities	13.3% (61)	24.9% (114)	14.0% (64)	9.2% (42)	38.5% (176)	3.35	457	
	<i>answered question</i>							457
	<i>skipped question</i>							35


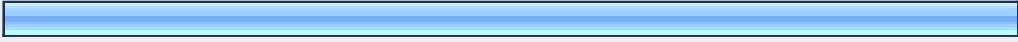
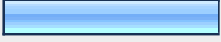
11. Please indicate whether your experience at TC3 has changed your behavior in any of the following ways:

Answer			
	Yes	No	Response Count
I now recognize culturally biased behavior I had not previously identified.	42.5% (194)	57.5% (263)	457
I now discuss topics related to cultural awareness	48.1% (220)	51.9% (237)	457
I now stop myself from using language that may be offensive to others.	61.3% (280)	38.7% (177)	457
I now handle negative language used by another in such a way as to try to educate the other person.	51.9% (237)	48.1% (220)	457
I now initiate contact with people who are not of my culture or ethnic background.	62.8% (287)	37.2% (170)	457
	<i>answered question</i>		457
	<i>skipped question</i>		35

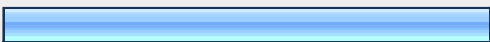
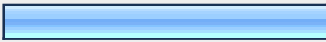

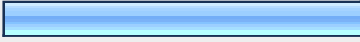

12. To what degree do you agree that attending programs relating to diversity contributes to building community?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree		5.3%	24
Disagree		6.1%	28
Neutral		31.1%	142
Agree		40.5%	185
Strongly Agree		17.1%	78
		<i>answered question</i>	457
		<i>skipped question</i>	35

13. Have you attended or participated in any diversity programs on campus this year?

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		17.9%	82
No		67.8%	310
Don't Know		14.2%	65
		<i>answered question</i>	457
		<i>skipped question</i>	35



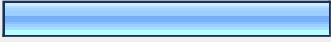
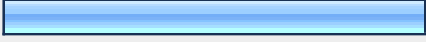
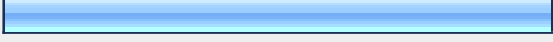
14. Please indicate your current place of residence:

		Response Percent	Response Count
Off-campus rental housing /apartment		32.5%	148
College Residence Hall		21.5%	98
Home of parents or relatives		21.1%	96
Own home		23.7%	108
Other (please specify)		1.3%	6
		<i>answered question</i>	456
		<i>skipped question</i>	36


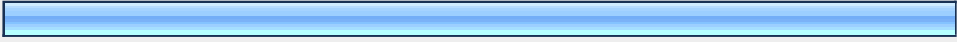
15. Please indicate your current academic major.

		Response Count
		456
		<i>answered question</i>
		456
		<i>skipped question</i>
		36

16. Please indicate your cumulative GPA: (If this is your first semester, approximate)

		Response Percent	Response Count
below 2.0		3.9%	18
2.0 – 2.4		9.6%	44
2.5 - 2.9		21.7%	99
3.0 - 3.4		28.1%	128
3.5 - 4.0		36.6%	167
		<i>answered question</i>	456
		<i>skipped question</i>	36

17. Gender

		Response Percent	Response Count
Male		36.4%	166
Female		63.6%	290
		<i>answered question</i>	456
		<i>skipped question</i>	36

18. What is your race/ethnicity? Only mark one

		Response Percent	Response Count
White (Non – Hispanic)		80.9%	369
Latino / Hispanic		5.3%	24
African American		5.0%	23
American Indian/Native American		1.1%	5
Asian		3.7%	17
Native Hawian/Pacific Islander		0.2%	1
Multi-Racial		2.4%	11
Foreign		1.3%	6
		<i>answered question</i>	456
		<i>skipped question</i>	36

19. AGE			Response Percent	Response Count
19 or under			30.0%	137
20 - 21			19.3%	88
22 - 24			12.7%	58
25 - 29			14.0%	64
30 - 39			12.9%	59
40 - 49			6.8%	31
50 and over			4.2%	19
		answered question		456
		skipped question		36

20. Do you have any additional comments or concerns regarding the cultrual attitudtes and climate at TC3?			Response Count
			155
		answered question	155
		skipped question	337

21. To enter drawing of cash prizes enter your name below: (name only used for drawing purposes)

		Response Count
		427
	<i>answered question</i>	427
	<i>skipped question</i>	65