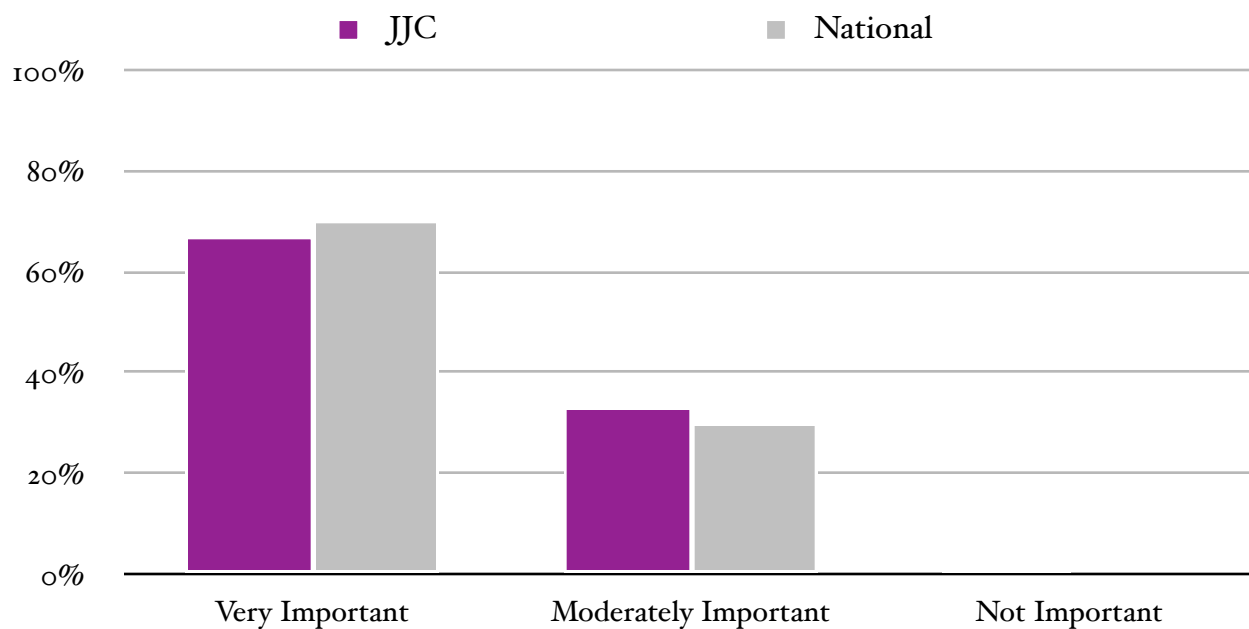


Being Self-Reliant

Percent of Students who Indicate that Being Self-Reliant is an Important Life Goal, Fall 2005



	JJC			NATIONAL		
FALL	Very Important	Moderately Important	Not Important	Very Important	Moderately Important	Not Important
1999	88.8%	10.9%	0.3%	69.0%	30.1%	0.9%
2000	66.9%	32.5%	1.5%	70.0%	29.1%	0.9%
2001	69.5%	31.0%	0.3%	70.1%	29.1%	0.8%
2002	70.5%	30.4%	0.8%	70.3%	28.9%	0.8%
2003	70.8%	29.2%	0.3%	70.3%	29.0%	0.7%
2004	66.1%	33.7%	0.6%	69.8%	29.5%	0.8%
2005	67.0%	33.2%	1.1%	70.6%	30.0%	0.7%

Note. Students were asked to respond to a five-point scale for this question. 1 = very important; 2, 3, & 4 = moderately important; 5 = not important.