



The Differences between CSI Form Types

Versions: Three versions of the College Student Inventory are available: Form A, Form B, and Form C, originally published in 1988, 2000, and 2006.

Table 1. Scales for College Student Inventory Forms A, B, and C

CSI Form A	CSI Form B	CSI Form C
Academic Motivation		
Study Habits	Study Habits	Study Skills
Reading Interests	Reading Interests	Reading Habits
Academic Confidence	Verbal and Writing Confidence	Verbal Skills
	Math and Science Confidence	Math Skills
Commitment to College	Commitment to College	Commitment
Interactions with Previous Teachers	Interactions with Previous Teachers	Attitude Toward Educators
		Use of Technology
General Coping Ability		
Family Support	Family Support	Personal Support
Financial Security	Financial Security	Financial Security
Capacity for Tolerance	Capacity for Tolerance	
Career Plans	Career Plans	Life and Career Planning
Ease of Transition	Social Engagement	
Receptivity to Support Services		
Academic Assistance	Academic Assistance	Academic Assistance
Personal Counseling	Personal Counseling	
Social Engagement	Social Engagement	
Career Guidance	Career Guidance	Career Planning
	Financial Guidance	Financial Guidance
Social Motivation		
Self-Reliance		
Social Engagement		
Leadership		

Table 2. Features of the College Student Inventory Forms A, B, and C

Version	Number of Items	Approximate Completion Time	Formats Available	Language
Form A	194	50 minutes	Paper Online	English English and Spanish
Form B	100	30 minutes	Paper Online	English Canadian, Spanish, and English
Form C	74	20 minutes	Online	English and Spanish