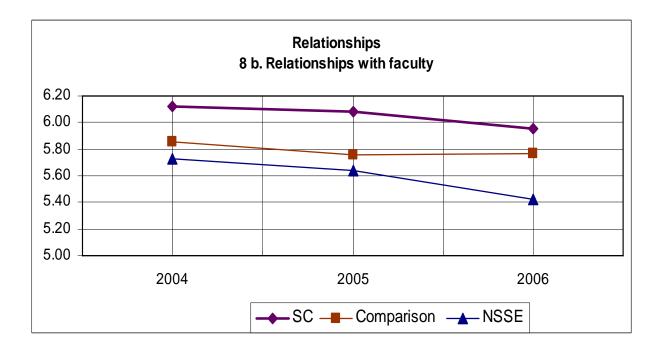


APPENDIX B

Category 3 – Understanding Students' and Other Stakeholders' Needs CHARTS ILLUSTRATING TRENDS AND COMPARISONS

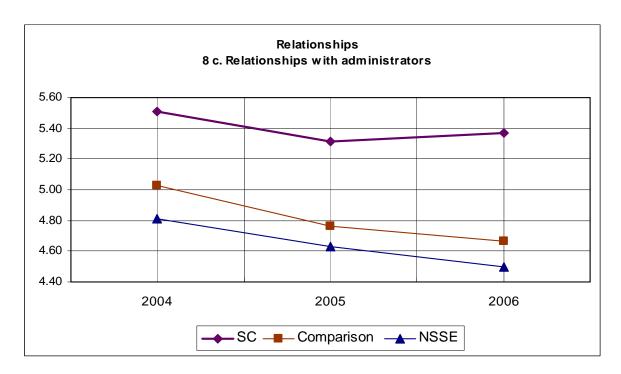
The following charts compare Southwestern College's NSSE results to those achieved by the college's comparison group and those achieved by all NSSE participants on questions relating to relationships and overall satisfaction. The data has been disaggregated for the main campus and Professional Studies. For purposes of the graphs, only senior data is used.

1. Main Campus NSSE Results: Relationships With Faculty

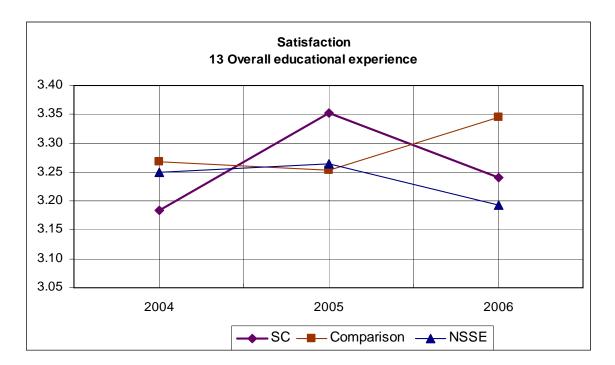




2. Main Campus NSSE Results: Relationships With Administrators

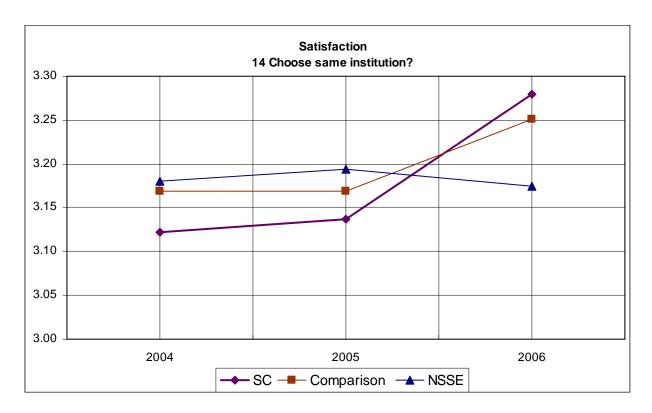


3. Main Campus NSSE Results: Overall Educational Experience

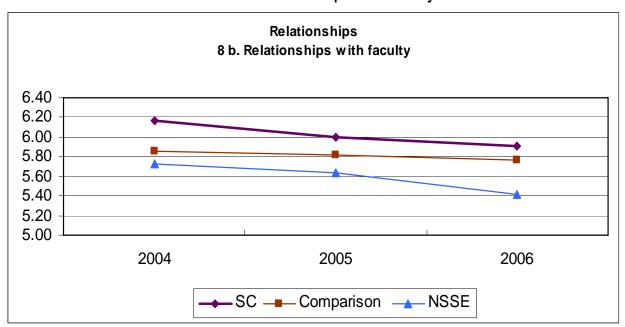




4. Main Campus NSSE Results: Would the Student Choose the Same Institution?

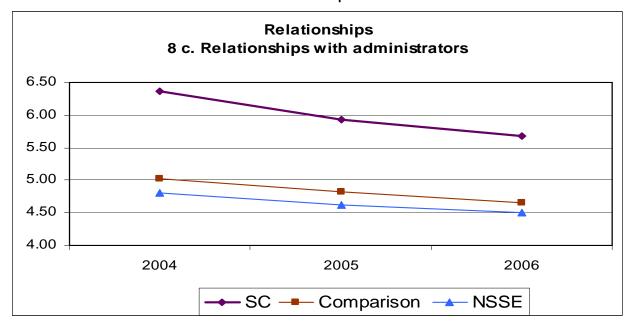


5. Professional Studies NSSE Results: Relationships With Faculty

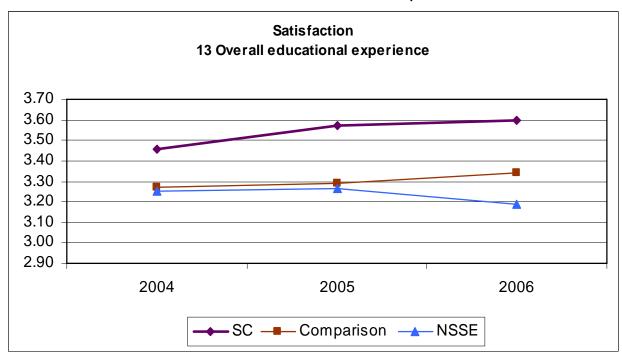




6. Professional Studies NSSE Results: Relationships With Administrators

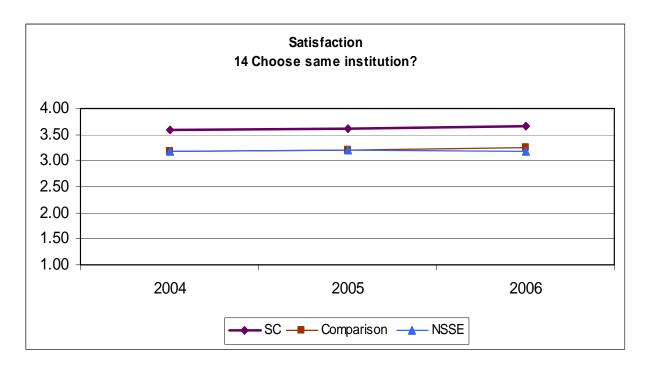


7. Professional Studies NSSE Results: Overall Educational Experience Satisfaction





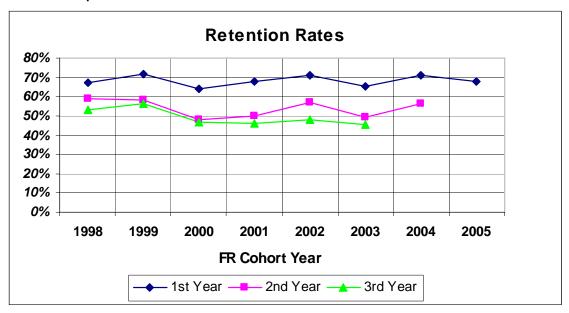
8. Professional Studies NSSE Results: Would You Choose the Same Institution?





The following graphs charts the retention rates and graduation rates by freshman cohorts for the main campus.

9. Main Campus Retention Rate Trends



10. Main Campus Graduation Rate Trends





Because of the nature of the Professional Studies programs, learners frequently stop-out for brief periods of time before completing an undergraduate degree. The graduation rates are based on the cohort of new students to the program for each of the three years.

11. Professional Studies Graduation Rate Trends

