2019 Incoming Freshmen Survey
Learn about our LARGEST class of Hokies ever!

Intellectuals:
90% expect to be challenged intellectually at VT

1/3 plan to attend graduate school

HIGH SCHOOL GPA
- Above 3.75
- Below 3.75

TOP 5 MAJORS:
1. Mechanical Engineering – 9%
2. Computer Science – 9%
3. Biological Sciences – 7%
4. Aerospace Engineering – 7%
5. Computer Engineering – 4%

TOP 5 MAJORS: (Pie chart)

What are they saying?
Opportunities
1. Meeting new people
2. The Hokie Spirit
3. Independence

Challenges
1. Time Management
2. Social Life
3. Managing workloads

Top 5 Skills Students Hope to Develop

- Oral Communication: 12%
- Technology Skills: 11%
- Critical Thinking: 9%
- Knowledge of Global Issues: 9%
- Written Communication: 9%

Top 3 University Activities

- Organizations for primary major
- Internships
- Organizations for hobbies

Questions? Contact the Office of Assessment and Evaluation, bbodo@vt.edu

50% are attending VT to help them find a job upon graduation

97% are confident in their ability to handle challenges