# **CLASS OF 2027 &** TRANSFER STUDENTS

IRST-YEAR

The Office of the First-Year Experience provides support and resources for the academic and social transition of new students and their families.



185 **PARTICIPATED IN THE SURVEY** 

**12.1%** 

## ACADEMIC TRANSITION

**Preparing for exams** 

Getting my school work done

Managing time/prioritizing

Working in groups for class projects

Knowing where to go for help

**MOST DIFFICULT** 

64%

22%

**53**%

26%

22%

**EASIEST** 

16%

62%

33%

36%

**37**%

30%

#### Writing papers 24%

PERSONAL/SOCIAL TRANSITION

Managing my money/finances

**Making friends** 

Taking care of well-being

Getting involved with a club or organization

**Dealing with homesickness** 

Knowing where to go for help

**MOST DIFFICULT** 

37%

40%

47%

30%

20%

**EASIEST** 

39%

50%

28%

**52%** 

**52%** 

34%

74% Feel like a member of the Lehigh community

64% Feel connected to the Lehigh

community

**62%** Feel like they have found their place at Lehigh

83% Can contribute to the Lehigh Community

95% Of students who have not found their place at Lehigh, agree they have confidence in their strategies to come back in the spring and craft their communities at Lehigh.

**77%** Have explored South Bethlehem since their experience in Orientation

# **WHAT HAS BEEN HELPFUL** IN YOUR TRANSITION?

## PEOPLE/GROUPS

66% Peers in the residence hall

**60%** Parent/guardian

44% **Professors** 

**37%** Gryphon

36% NavigateLU Faculty/Staff Collaborator

34% **Academic Advisor** 

30% **Orientation Leader** 

#### **RESOURCES**

36% NavigateLU Faculty/Staff Meetings

34% An Academic Office

32% The Orientation Program & OLs

**29**% A University Office or Service

# AS A RESULT OF MY FYE



93% **Established** academic goals

86% **Established** personal goals



93% **Connected with** at least 1 person to aid in their transition

**82**% Can identify at least 1 new resource to aid in success



**80%** Have confidence in their ability to deal with future problems at Lehigh

83% Learned something new about themselves

