2015 National Hazing Prevention Week Trivia Contest

All trivia questions are based off of the "National Study of Student Hazing", considered to be the most comprehensive and accurate survey of college students across the country. [http://www.hazingstudy.org/publications/hazing_in_view_web.pdf](http://www.hazingstudy.org/publications/hazing_in_view_web.pdf)

1. What percentage of college students involved in clubs, teams, and organizations have experienced hazing?
   A. 25%   B. 40%   C. 55%

   **55% of college students involved in clubs, teams, and organizations experience hazing. Alcohol consumption, humiliation, isolation, sleep-deprivation, and sex acts are hazing practices common across types of student groups.**

2. Hazing occurs more frequently among men than women:
   TRUE   FALSE

   **61% of male respondents who are involved with a student organization or team have experienced a behavior that that meets the definition of hazing. This is in comparison to 52% of women.**

3. What percentage of students who have been hazed said activities occurred on campus in a public space?
   A. 25%   B. 50%   C. 75%

   **Secrecy and silence are common characterizations of the dynamics of hazing, but there are public aspects to hazing. One in four respondents said that the hazing behaviors they experienced occurred in a public space on campus, and nearly half indicated that it occurred during the day.**

4. Who are students most likely to talk to about their hazing experiences?
   A. a Resident Assistant   B. a Professor   C. a Friend

   **In cases where students did talk to someone about a hazing experience, 48% said they talked to a friend, and 26% said they talked to a family member.**

5. What percentage of students who experienced hazing reported that photos/videos of the activities were posted on public Web spaces?
   A. 43%   B. 53%   C. 63%

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6. Hazing activities occur most frequently in sports teams, compared to other groups:
   TRUE   FALSE

   **74% of respondents involved in Varsity Athletic Teams experienced at least one hazing activity. After that, hazing activities were experienced by 73% of respondents involved in social fraternities or sororities, 64% involved in club sports, and 56% involved in performing arts organizations.**

7. What percentage of hazing activities go unreported to college officials?
   A. 50%   B. 95%   C. 100%

   **Of those who labeled their experiences as hazing, 95% said they did not report the events to campus officials.**

8. If a student willingly participates in a hazing activity, it can’t be considered hazing:
   TRUE   FALSE

   **Hazing is any activity expected of someone joining or participating in a group that humiliates, degrades, abuses, or endangers him/her regardless of that person’s willingness to participate.**

9. What percent of students surveyed are aware of hazing behaviors occurring within sports teams and student organizations?
   A. 29%   B. 69%   C. 99%

   **Students identify hazing as part of the campus culture; 69% of students who belonged to a student activity reported they were aware of hazing activities occurring within teams and student organizations on their campus.**

10. Hazing activities usually involve alcohol consumption:
    TRUE   FALSE

    **Alcohol plays a major role in hazing behaviors. A leading hazing behavior across nearly all student organizations and teams is participation in drinking games; more than half of students’ experiences with varsity athletic teams and social fraternities and sororities include drinking games.**