# Life Satisfaction for Students Living on Campus

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## HYPOTHESES

Students who live on campus are more satisfied with their lives.



#### PARTICIPANTS

- **44 Students**
- \*30 (68.2%) Women/14 (31.8%) Men
- \*Average Age = 23.62
- \*\*Race
  - **African American (N = 40; 90.9%),**
  - **Latino** (N =; 4.5%),
  - **❖** Native American (N = 1.; 2.3%)
  - ❖ Biracial (N=1; 2.3%)

#### MEASURES



SAMPLE

#### \* Residence:

- **On Campus (N = 20; 45.5%)**
- Off Campus alone or with Roommates (N= 7; 15.9%)
- Off Campus with family (N = 17; 38.6%)
- Satisfaction with Life Scale (Kjell & Diener, 2021; 3 items)
  - Range: 3-21 (Average = 13.16 or somewhat satisfied with life)

# RESULTS

# Hypothesis:

- Students who live on campus are more satisfied with their lives.
  - $\Rightarrow$  F (2, 41) = 0.35, p = 0.71 Not Significant



# DISCUSSION

- ❖ There was no difference between students who lived on or off campus in terms of life satisfaction although students on campus have greater access to professor, student activities, and peers.
- There are positive aspects of living on and off campus for college students.