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ABSTRACT

How Students Relate to the Political: A Descriptive Report of Political Ideology and Engagement

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Using data from 2006 UCUES we provide a description of student political and civic involvement and attitudes: patterns of tuning in and out to the news, political activism, ideological and attitudinal perspectives, and a preliminary exploration of some factors that account for the patterns we discern.