

SUL ROSS STATE UNIVERSITY-GRADUATE STUDENTS STUDENT FINANCIAL WELLNESS SURVEY RESULTS

FALL 2025

Understanding the connection between student finances and student success is essential to supporting the modern learner.

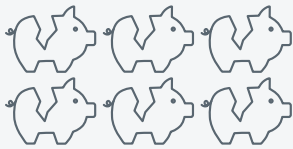
52%

of students **WORRY ABOUT HAVING ENOUGH MONEY** to pay monthly expenses.



50%

of students **REPORTED USING BUY NOW, PAY LATER SERVICES** DURING 2025.



14%

of students **RAN OUT OF MONEY 8 OR MORE TIMES** in the past year.

46%

DISAGREED THAT THEIR TOTAL DEBT IS MANAGEABLE.



43%

of students indicated **EXPERIENCING GENERALIZED ANXIETY DISORDER.**



78%

of students consider themselves to be **WORKERS ATTENDING SCHOOL**, rather than **STUDENTS WHO WORK.**



46%

of students **REPORTED BEING HOUSING INSECURE.**



29%

of students were **FOOD INSECURE.**



43%

of students reported **FEELING LONELY SOMETIMES OR ALWAYS.**



44%

of students **IDENTIFIED AS PARENTS.**



57%

of students would have **TROUBLE GETTING \$500 IN CASH OR CREDIT** in an emergency.



86%

of students believe **THE COST OF COLLEGE IS A GOOD INVESTMENT FOR THEIR FINANCIAL FUTURE.**



83%

of students say **A COLLEGE DEGREE WILL PROVIDE THEM WITH A HIGHER QUALITY OF LIFE.**

