# Did You Know?

48%

of FSW students responding to the CCSSE report never discussing ideas from your reading or classes with instructors outside of the class

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90%

of FSW faculty respondents report discussing ideas from your readings or classes with instructors outside of class

(CCSSE/CCFSSE Report, 2014)

## Ideas for Engagement

An Idea from Research in Higher Education (Cox et al., 2010):

Assignment: "Discussion with the professor outside of class."

"For credit on this assignment just meet with me outside of class, such as during office hours, to discuss an idea or question related to the course within the first three weeks of the semester."

### An FSW Faculty Member's Technique:

Initiate a scavenger hunt as part of a first class ice breaker that includes locating your office and completing a small task as proof of finding it.

Try one of these strategies and email Crystal Revak <u>clrevak@fsw.edu</u> describing how you are incorporating it in your course to be entered in a drawing to win an FSW gift from the bookstore.

**Best wishes!** 

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#### Reference:

Cox, B.E., McIntosh, K.L., Terenzini, P.T., Reason, R.D., and Lutovsky Quaye, B.R. 2010. Pedagogical signals of faculty approachability: Factors shaping faculty-student interaction outside the classroom. Research in Higher Education, 51, 767-788.