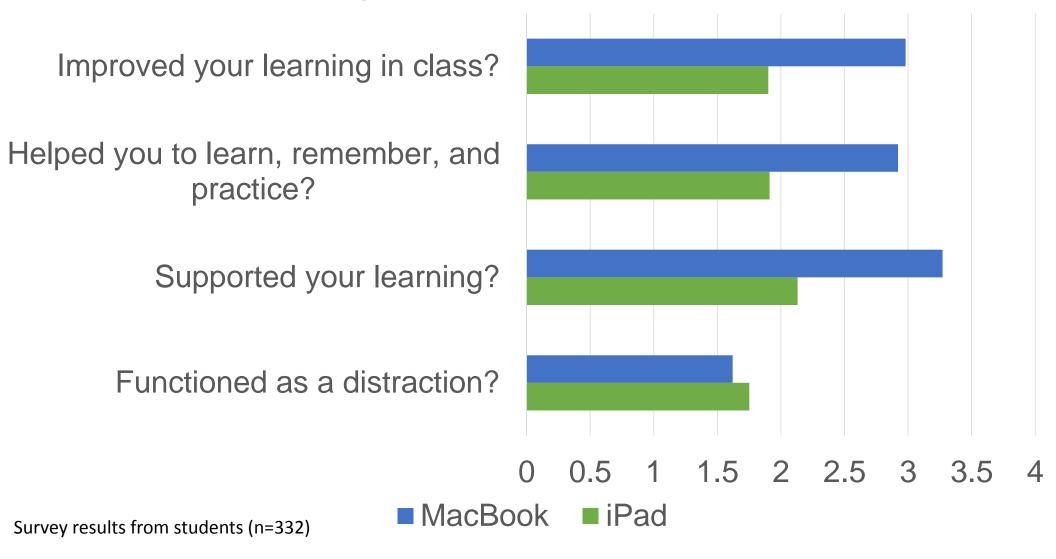
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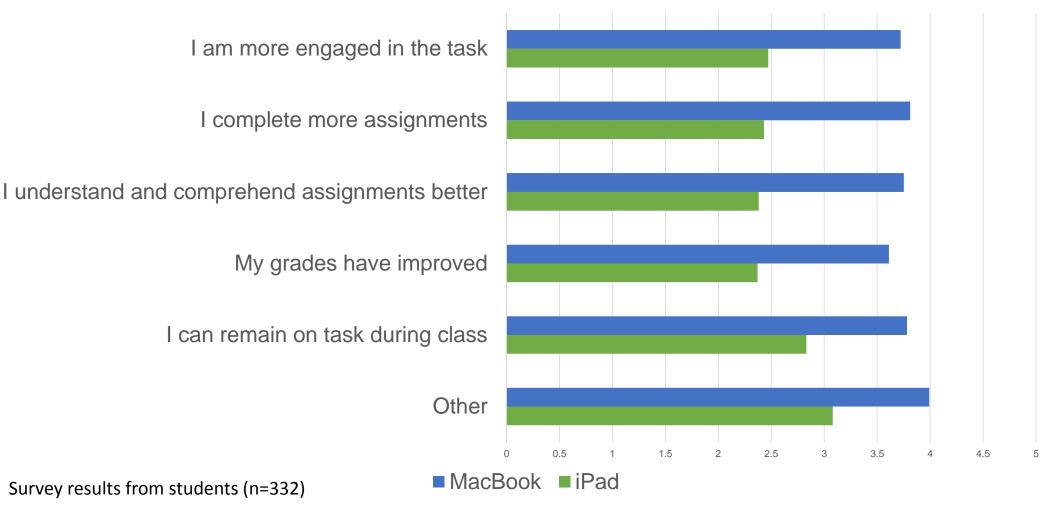
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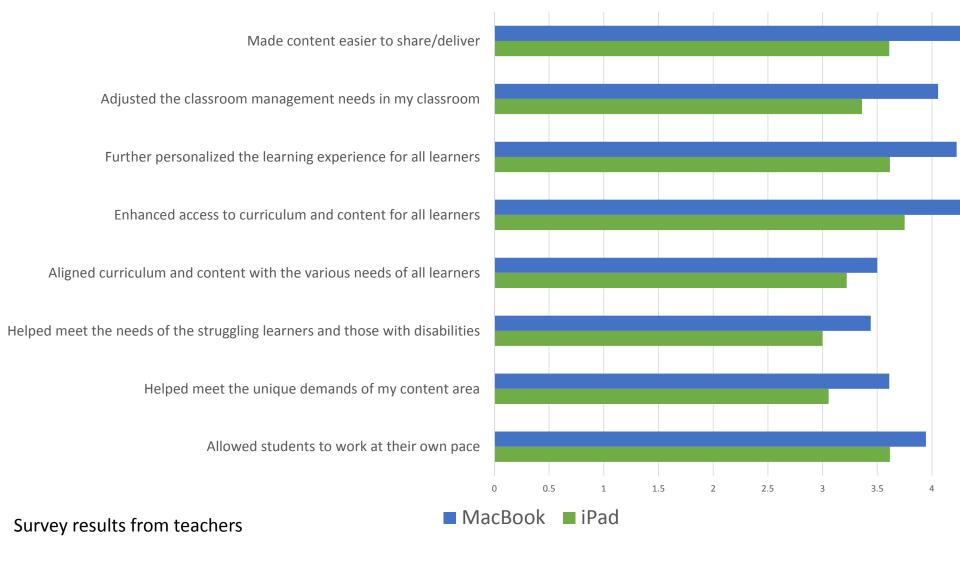
To what degree has the use of the device...



To what extent has the use of the device improved learning in your classes?



Improved Teaching...



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	Students				
					I don't do
				Neither	this
	iPad	MacBook	No Preference	Device	activity
Access digital readings/text	8.75%	76.67%	8.75%	2.50%	2.92%
Blog	0.83%	57.92%	3.75%	1.67%	34.58%
Complete assignments	7.08%	81.67%	7.08%	3.75%	0.00%
Create/Produce products (movies, movies,					
graphics, etc.)	21.25%	66.67%	2.92%	1.67%	6.67%
Listen to Music	7.50%	57.92%	7.50%	9.58%	16.67%
Play Games	13.75%	42.50%	5.00%	7.92%	30.42%
Research	1.67%	88.75%	6.25%	0.83%	1.25%
Take Notes	15.83%	72.50%	2.50%	7.08%	5.42%
Watch videos	5.83%	74.58%	13.33%	2.50%	3.33%
Write essays, reports, book reviews, etc.	0.83%	93.75%	1.67%	1.67%	2.08%
Collaborate with classmates	7.08%	75.00%	11.25%	2.50%	2.92%
Communicate with teachers	1.67%	76.25%	15.83%	3.33%	2.08%
Keep organized	6.25%	77.08%	9.58%	3.75%	1.67%
Use Social Sites to communicate (Facebook.					

Select Focus Group Comments:

• Teacher: "Before the pilot project, I was a really strong proponent of the iPad. As a teacher, it seemed really nice to have the iPad, but for the students, it was a bust. I think of my own kids in college and I'm thinking if we're really doing college and career readiness, they are not using iPads [lots of nods in agreement around the table]. So, I changed my toon. I would support a MacBook."

Select Focus Group Comments:

- **Student**: "In general there is a clearly superior device for the majority of the classes and that is the MacBook."
- **Parent**: "My son is a sophomore and has a writing disability and gets some accommodations. He was in a blended learning classroom freshman year and went from flunking classes [before blended] to breezing through classes with technology support. We bought him a laptop for this school year, but during the pilot study, it sat on the shelf. He said that with the iPad he can be productive but that it takes a whole lot more effort to do the same amount of work that he could get through much quicker and more efficiently on the MacBook. He would take the MacBook, hands-down."