Whadda Ya Think?

We all carry around various ideas about the world we live in. In Perplexities of American Pluralism we will be exploring a number of those ideas. Just for fun, try to answer the following questions as well as you can....

1. How many students attend PSU? ________
2. What percent attend fulltime? ________
3. What percent are undergraduates? ________
4. What is the average age of the undergraduates? ________
5. What percent are female? ________
6. Estimate the percentages of the following for: PSU OR U.S. 2050
   - White (or Anglo), non-Hispanic
   - Black or African American, non-Hispanic
   - Asian or Native Hawaiian & Other Pacific Islander
   - Hispanic
   - American Indian or Alaska Native
   - Mixed Heritage
   - International
   - Decline to respond

7. Why do we (the university and I) use the categories in #6 above?
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8. How old will you be in 2050? ________
9. What percentages in #6 would you give for the U. S. in the year 2050? ________
10. What percentage of the population will be at least as old as you? ________
11. Did more people emigrate to the U. S. between 1911-20 or 1981-1990? ________
12. What percentage of the current U. S. population is foreign born? ________
13. How many languages are spoken by school kids in New York City? ________
14. Estimate the percentage of this class has at least one foreign-born parent? ________
15. Estimate the percentage of the class has at least one foreign-born grandparent? ________