

The Student Shift to Virtual during COVID-19

From online learning to a tough job market, students have been heavily impacted by COVID-19. In summer 2020, Handshake surveyed over 1,000 college and university students in the U.S.

Here's what we learned since [our last student COVID-19 report](#).

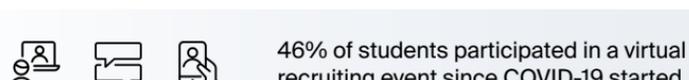
Nearly 9 in 10 students reported that COVID-19 has adversely affected their mental health in one or more ways



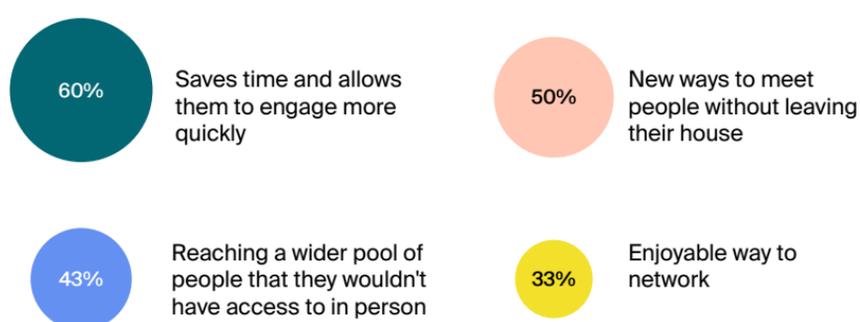
COVID-19 has made students feel uncertain about their future



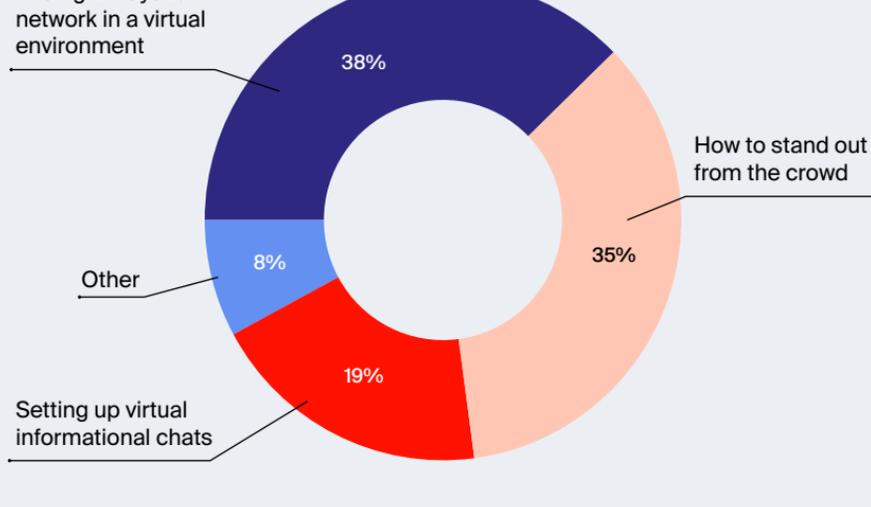
Career services can help



Ways students find virtual recruiting beneficial:



Students still want guidance when it comes to navigating virtual recruiting



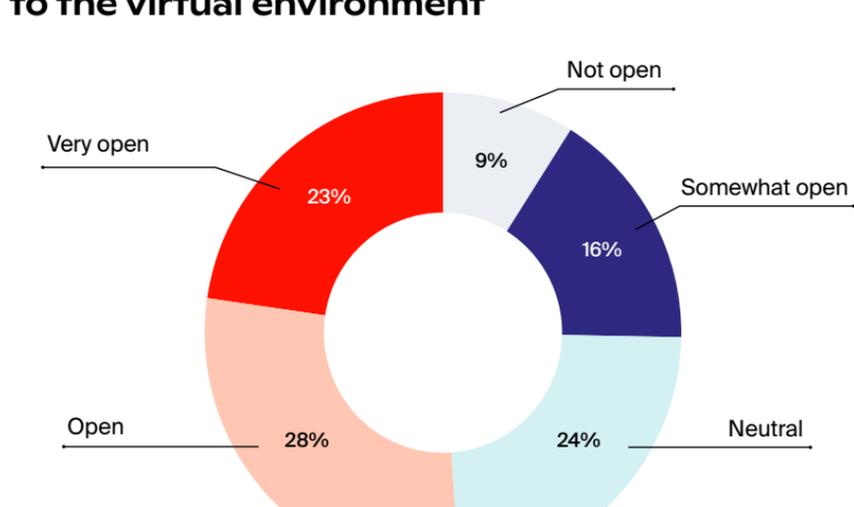
What students seek from their career center



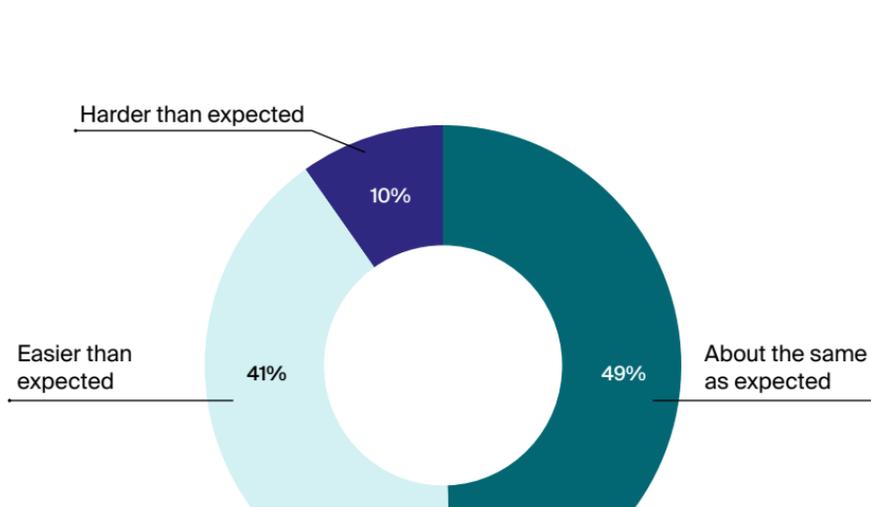
Students are aware of the challenges of remote work



Nonetheless, students are adapting to the virtual environment



51% of students are open or very open to taking a fully virtual job after graduation



90% of students who had a virtual job or internship said the experience was the same as or easier than expected