

Table 1: Difference-in-Differences Estimates of Kalamazoo Promise on College Choice

	U. of M.	MI St.	W. MI	Pub. U. in MI	Wayne St.	MI Tech	KVCC	Flagships
Post	0.0424*** (0.00358)	0.0496*** (0.00423)	0.0204*** (0.00389)	0.00176 (0.00372)	-0.0149*** (0.00318)	0.00659** (0.00211)	0.000457 (0.00151)	0.0330*** (0.00292)
Kalamazoo Promise	0.000599 (0.00692)	-0.0293 (0.0198)	0.348*** (0.0219)	-0.0402 (0.0244)	-0.142*** (0.0132)	-0.0220*** (0.00393)	0.161*** (0.00540)	-0.0172 (0.0150)
Post \times Kalamazoo Promise	0.0784*** (0.00938)	0.125*** (0.0236)	0.122*** (0.00869)	0.0634*** (0.00772)	0.0654*** (0.0190)	-0.00867 (0.00880)	0.0238*** (0.00535)	0.113*** (0.00604)
Pre-Promise Mean	.32	.36	.52	.77	.02	.03	.16	.16
R^2	0.139	0.046	0.020	0.006	0.054	0.040	0.018	0.083
N	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702

Notes: Standard errors in parentheses: * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$. The models are linear probability specifications with standard errors that are clustered at the high school level. The sample used for estimation includes all ACT test takers from public high schools in Michigan with both valid scores and information on the set of school selected to receive score reports. The models include as regressors the scores on the four components of the ACT, high school grade point average, a linear trend, a quadratic trend, the percentage of the high school that is eligible for free lunch, the percentage of the high school that is black, the percentage of the high school that is white, the percentage of the high school that is Hispanic, the pupil-to-teacher ratio, and the number of full time equivalent teachers. The dependent variables are binary variables that assume a value of one if the test taker includes the institution in the choice set. The following abbreviations are used: U of M = University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, MI St. = Michigan State University, W. MI = Western Michigan University, Pub. U. in MI = Public Universities in Michigan, Wayne St. = Wayne State University, MI Tech = Michigan Institute of Technology, KVCC = Kalamazoo Valley Community College, Flagships = University of Michigan-Ann Arbor and Michigan State University. The Pre-Promise Mean is the portion of test takers from Kalamazoo Promise High Schools in the years before the program who submitted a score report to the institution(s) listed in the column headings.

Table 2: Difference-in-Differences Estimates of Kalamazoo Promise on College Choice: Race Categories and Income Categories Included

	U. of M.	MI St.	W. MI	Pub. U. in MI	Wayne St.	MI Tech	KVCC	Flagships
Post	0.0423*** (0.00353)	0.0487*** (0.00420)	0.0195*** (0.00385)	0.00209 (0.00370)	-0.0139*** (0.00310)	0.00666** (0.00210)	0.000501 (0.00151)	0.0326*** (0.00288)
Kalamazoo Promise	0.00699 (0.00609)	-0.0299 (0.0200)	0.336*** (0.0219)	-0.0437 (0.0231)	-0.137*** (0.0125)	-0.0220*** (0.00374)	0.160*** (0.00541)	-0.0144 (0.0148)
Post \times Kalamazoo Promise	0.0808*** (0.0101)	0.127*** (0.0223)	0.120*** (0.0103)	0.0625*** (0.00997)	0.0640*** (0.0187)	-0.00868 (0.00827)	0.0235*** (0.00502)	0.115*** (0.00689)
Pre-Promise Mean	.32	.36	.52	.77	.02	.03	.16	.16
R^2	0.145	0.050	0.026	0.008	0.073	0.041	0.019	0.088
N	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702	430702

Notes: Standard errors in parentheses: * $p < 0.05$, ** $p < 0.01$, *** $p < 0.001$. The models are linear probability specifications with standard errors that are clustered at the high school level. The sample used for estimation includes all ACT test takers from public high schools in Michigan with valid scores, information on the set of school selected to receive score reports, non-missing race and income data. The models include as regressors the scores on the four components of the ACT, high school grade point average, income category indicators, race and ethnicity indicators, a linear trend, a quadratic trend, the percentage of the high school that is eligible for free lunch, the percentage of the high school that is black, the percentage of the high school that is white, the percentage of the high school that is Hispanic, the pupil-to-teacher ratio, and the number of full time equivalent teachers. The dependent variables are binary variables that assume a value of one if the test taker includes the institution in the choice set. The following abbreviations are used: U of M = University of Michigan-Ann Arbor, MI St. = Michigan State University, W. MI = Western Michigan University, Pub. U. in MI = Public Universities in Michigan, Wayne St. = Wayne State University, MI Tech = Michigan Institute of Technology, KVCC = Kalamazoo Valley Community College, Flagships = University of Michigan-Ann Arbor and Michigan State University. The Pre-Promise Mean is the portion of test takers from Kalamazoo Promise High Schools in the years before the program who submitted a score report to the institution(s) listed in the column headings.