STUDENT USES AND PERCEPTIONS OF CAPTIONS & TRANSCRIPTS A NATIONAL STUDY

98.6% of students find captions helpful





52% of students

that use captions said captions help as a learning aid by improving comprehension

71% of students

without hearing difficulties use captions at least some of the time



66% of ESL Students

find captions "very" or "extremely" helpful

Learning Aid: 75.5%

Poor A/V Quality: 22.4%

Instructor's Accent: 8.3%

Sound-sensitive Environment: 6.7%

Disability Accommodation: 6%



Convenience: 5.1%



75% of students

that use captions said they use captions as a learning aid

The most common reason students use transcripts is as

study guides.





The most common reason students use *captions* is to help them







15% of students



don't know how to tell if a video has captions

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