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Survey Participation

The 2019 Minnesota Student Survey (MSS) was administered in the first half of 2019 to students in grades 5, 8, 9, and 11 statewide. The survey was voluntary at all levels; districts, schools, parents, and students could all choose to opt out. Most public school districts (81%) chose to participate. Across the state, approximately 66% of fifth graders, 68% of eighth graders, 66% of ninth graders, and 54% of eleventh graders participated in the 2019 Minnesota Student Survey. Overall participation across the four grades was approximately 64% of total enrollment.

Results from regular public school, charter schools, and online schools are included in these tables. Results from nonpublic schools, alternative learning centers, and juvenile correctional facilities are released separately.

All schools and districts that participated in the survey followed federal laws regarding parental notification as required by the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA). PPRA requires that schools that participate in the survey notify parents of the survey administration, provide parents the opportunity to review the survey instrument, and allow parents to opt their child out of participating (Juvenile Correctional Facilities are exempt from this requirement).

Mode of Administration

In 2019, all levels of the MSS were administered online. Only Juvenile Correctional Facilities could choose to administer the MSS on paper.

Items on the Tables

The tables in this report include the responses for all survey items. Items are ordered within the tables by an overarching subject area; the order that items appear on the tables is not necessarily in the order that they appeared on the survey.

The table of contents is provided on pages v-vi. The grade 5 survey version was shorter than the grade 8 survey version, which in turn was shorter than the grade 9 and 11 version. The grade 5 and grade 8 versions did not include items appropriate only for older students. Items found on some versions of the survey but not on others are identified on the tables.

New Questions and Year-to-Year Comparisons

While most MSS survey questions stayed the same between 2016 and 2019, other questions were updated with changes to the question or response options. Some entirely new questions were added, and some questions were dropped. New questions are noted on each table. **Caution must be used when making comparisons over time for any questions in which the wording has changed.**

Please note that although these surveys are given repeatedly over time, the student populations change between administrations of the survey.

Validity of Responses

Caution was taken to identify invalid responses and remove them from the survey results. Surveys were removed when responses were highly inconsistent, when there was a pattern of likely exaggeration, when the survey was completed outside of school hours (this did not apply to online students), or when the survey was clearly a test of the online system. In addition, surveys were removed when only the background section of the survey was answered. In total, approximately 4% of cases were removed from the 2019 survey data.

Online Access to MSS Data

Data from the 2019 Minnesota Student Survey (MSS) are available on the Minnesota Department of Education's <u>Data Reports and Analytics page</u>. (<u>http://w20.education.state.mn.us/MDEAnalytics/DataTopic.jsp?TOPICID=242</u>) This web report provides access to all state, county and district-level data and provides options for filtering the data in multiple ways.

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TABLE 1A DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION

Northeast

		Grade								
		51		8	th	91	th	111	-	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Total number of sur	veys	2,445	100%	2,217	100%	2,356	100%	1,641	100%	
What is your biological sex?*	Male	1,248	51%	1,104	50%	1,148	49%	876	53%	
	Female	1,181	48%	1,105	50%	1,207	51%	761	46%	
	No answer	16	1%	8	0%	1	0%	4	0%	
Age	10 or younger	866	35%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	11	1,493	61%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	12	69	3%	3	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	13	1	0%	750	34%	1	0%	0	0%	
	14	0	0%	1,379	62%	821	35%	0	0%	
	15	0	0%	79	4%	1,465	62%	3	0%	
	16	0	0%	1	0%	63	3%	627	38%	
	17	0	0%	0	0%	3	0%	959	58%	
	18	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	51	3%	
	19-20	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
How do you describe yourself? (Mark ALL that	American Indian or Alaskan Native only	135	6%	78	4%	90	4%	63	4%	
apply)	Asian or Asian American only	30	1%	28	1%	18	1%	18	1%	
	Black, African or African American only	79	3%	46	2%	48	2%	20	1%	
	Hispanic or Latino/a only	18	1%	17	1%	16	1%	19	1%	
	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander only	9	0%	7	0%	5	0%	5	0%	
	White only	1,826	75%	1,788	81%	1,950	83%	1,366	83%	
	Multiple races (checked more than one)	200	8%	227	10%	217	9%	144	9%	
	No answer	148	6%	26	1%	12	1%	6	0%	

* 5th grade surveys asked "Are you male or female?"

TABLE 1B DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION^

Northeast

					Gra	ade				
		5t		-	th	9t		11th		
16 A ·		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
If you are American Indian or Alaskan Native, which	Anishinaabe/Ojibwe	143	6%	146	7%	154	7%	113	7%	
group best describes you? (If more than one	Dakota/Lakota	23	1%	22	1%	14	1%	10	1%	
describes you, mark ALL that apply)	Other tribal affiliation	86	4%	53	2%	59	3%	33	2%	
If you are Asian or	Asian Indian	5	0%	5	0%	3	0%	1	0%	
Asian American, which group best	Burmese	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
describes you? (If more than one describes you, mark ALL that apply)	Chinese	9	0%	8	0%	9	0%	11	1%	
	Filipino	4	0%	9	0%	3	0%	9	1%	
	Hmong	1	0%	3	0%	4	0%	1	0%	
	Karen	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	Korean	8	0%	13	1%	7	0%	5	0%	
	Lao	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	
	Vietnamese	7	0%	8	0%	1	0%	7	0%	
	Other Asian	13	1%	17	1%	14	1%	6	0%	
lf you are Black, African or African	African American	79	3%	79	4%	73	3%	48	3%	
American, which group best	Ethiopian – Oromo	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
describes you? (If more than one	Ethiopian – other	2	0%	0	0%	4	0%	0	0%	
describes you, mark ALL that	Liberian	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	1	0%	
apply)	Nigerian	1	0%	4	0%	2	0%	0	0%	
	Somali	1	0%	1	0%	1	0%	0	0%	
	Other Black, African or African American	43	2%	26	1%	26	1%	14	1%	
If you are Hispanic or Latino/Latina,	Colombian	1	0%	4	0%	3	0%	6	0%	
which group best describes you? (If	Ecuadoran	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	1	0%	
more than one describes you,	Guatemalan	2	0%	2	0%	1	0%	2	0%	
mark ALL that apply)	Mexican	25	1%	34	2%	30	1%	23	1%	
	Puerto Rican	5	0%	6	0%	11	0%	9	1%	
	Salvadoran	2	0%	2	0%	0	0%	4	0%	
	Spanish/Spanish- American	14	1%	14	1%	17	1%	8	0%	
	Other Hispanic or Latino/Latina	13	1%	17	1%	14	1%	7	0%	

^ All questions on this table were new in 2019.

TABLE 2 SEXUAL ORIENTATION; GENDER IDENTITY; GENDER EXPRESSION*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
A person's appearance, style, dress, or the way	Very or mostly feminine			2%	47%	1%	48%
they walk or talk may affect how people	Somewhat feminine			2%	31%	3%	31%
describe them. How do you think other people	Equally feminine and masculine			15%	18%	12%	17%
at school would describe you?**	Somewhat masculine			34%	3%	30%	3%
	Very or mostly masculine			47%	1%	55%	1%
How do you describe yourself?**^	Heterosexual (straight)			83%	71%	88%	72%
Jourooni	Bisexual			3%	10%	2%	12%
	Gay or lesbian			1%	1%	2%	2%
	Questioning/not sure			1%	3%	1%	2%
	Pansexual			1%	4%	0%	3%
	Queer			0%	0%	0%	1%
	I don't describe myself in any of these ways			9%	10%	6%	8%
	I am not sure what this question means			2%	1%	1%	0%
Are you transgender, gendergueer, or	Yes	0%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%
genderfluid?^	No	93%	88%	94%	92%	94%	94%
	l am not sure about my gender identity	1%	4%	1%	3%	1%	2%
	I am not sure what this question means	5%	4%	4%	3%	5%	1%
IF TRANSGENDER, GENDERQUEER OR GENDERFLUID: How do	Male, trans male, trans man, or trans masculine	33%	31%	22%	27%	60%	28%
you describe yourself?^^	Female, trans female, trans woman, or trans feminine	0%	11%	11%	10%	0%	8%
	Non-binary, genderqueer, or genderfluid	67%	56%	44%	60%	40%	56%
	I prefer to describe my gender as something else	0%	3%	22%	3%	0%	8%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ Change in question wording from 2016.
^^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 3 SCHOOL PLANS; ACADEMIC ADVISING; IEP; ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

Northeast

					Gra	Ide			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	1th
	-	Male %	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
What is the MAIN thing	I don't plan to graduate	70	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
you plan to do right	from high school			1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
AFTER high school?*	Get my GED			2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Go to a two-year community or technical college			11%	7%	15%	9%	25%	21%
	Go to a four-year college or university			51%	67%	50%	67%	42%	61%
	Get a license or certificate in a career field			4%	7%	3%	6%	2%	4%
	Attend an apprenticeship program			1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	Join the military			10%	4%	10%	4%	11%	3%
	Work at a job			11%	6%	11%	6%	9%	6%
	Other			10%	7%	8%	5%	6%	4%
Has an adult in your school helped you think about education options for after high school	Yes					64%	62%	77%	79%
(college or other training program)?**	Νο					36%	38%	23%	21%
Has an adult in your school helped you find career-focused field experiences (job	Yes					44%	33%	52%	46%
shadowing, work-based learning, service learning, career camps, apprenticeships)?**	Νο					56%	67%	48%	54%
Do you receive special	Yes	12%	7%	11%	5%	15%	8%	15%	11%
education services as part of an individual	No	61%	61%	68%	73%	64%	70%	73%	76%
education plan or IEP?	Not sure	28%	32%	21%	22%	21%	22%	12%	13%
How would you describe	Mostly A's	37%	46%	38%	51%	30%	53%	31%	47%
your grades this school year?	Mostly B's	31%	28%	32%	27%	36%	27%	37%	32%
	Mostly C's	13%	9%	21%	14%	23%	13%	22%	15%
	Mostly D's	3%	3%	6%	3%	8%	4%	8%	4%
	Mostly F's	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%
	Mostly Incompletes	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	None of these letter grades	12%	13%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question. **5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions.

TABLE 4 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE[^]

Northeast

						ade		444		
		-	th	-	th	-	th	11th		
		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	
During the last 30 days,	None	46%	46%	42%	42%	47%	41%	43%	34%	
how many times did you miss a full day of	Once or twice									
school? (Do not include school-sponsored	3 to 5 times	35%	37%	40%	40%	36%	40%	40%	45%	
activities like field trips, sports, academic or	6 to 9 times	13%	12%	12%	14%	13%	14%	13%	15%	
music events)		4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	
	10 or more times	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	
During the last 30 days, how many times did	None	53%	51%	46%	38%	47%	37%	39%	31%	
like field trips, sports, academic or music events)	Once or twice								/	
	3 to 5 times	32%	38%	38%	43%	37%	40%	37%	39%	
	5 to 5 times	10%	8%	10%	13%	11%	14%	14%	18%	
	6 to 9 times	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	
	10 or more times	570	2 /0	570	570	4 /0	570	0 70	1 70	
		2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	4%	4%	5%	
AMONG THOSE WHO MISSED PART OF OR A FULL DAY OF SCHOOL: What are the reasons you missed a full or part of a day of school		48%	51%	55%	56%	54%	59%	54%	66%	
in the last 30 days? (Mark ALL that apply)	Medical, dental or other health-related appointment		070/	400/	500/	450/	F7 0/	2001	500/	
	Vacation or trip	32%	37%	40%	56%	45%	57%	38%	58%	
	Felt very sad,	18%	18%	16%	16%	17%	18%	17%	18%	
	hopeless, anxious, stressed or angry	4%	8%	5%	17%	8%	22%	11%	27%	
	Didn't get enough sleep	11%	12%	10%	15%	13%	19%	22%	23%	
	Didn't feel safe at school	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	
	Missed your ride or didn't have a way to get to school						-			
	-	9%	9%	9%	8%	10%	9%	7%	8%	
	Had to work	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	3%	2%	
	Had to take care of or help a family member or friend	4%	5%	4%	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%	
	Had no place to shower or wash clothes	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
	Wanted to use alcohol or drugs	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	
	Behind in schoolwork or not prepared for a test or class assignment	2%	3%	3%	7%	6%	10%	9%	14%	
	Bored with or not interested in									
	school Suspended from	3%	2%	4%	7%	7%	11%	12%	13%	
	school Other reason	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
		31%	28%	21%	18%	21%	16%	21%	15%	

^ All questions on this table were new in 2019.

TABLE 5 DISCIPLINE; FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, how many	None	76%	93%	80%	92%	86%	95%	93%	98%
times did you get sent out of the	Once or twice	18%	6%	14%	6%	11%	4%	6%	2%
classroom for discipline?^	3 to 5 times	4%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
How often do you care about doing	All of the time	42%	57%	33%	47%	35%	50%	31%	50%
well in school?	Most of the time	38%	31%	47%	40%	46%	38%	46%	37%
	Some of the time	17%	11%	18%	12%	17%	11%	21%	11%
	None of the time	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
How often do you go to class	All of the time	4%	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%	3%
unprepared?	Most of the time	8%	7%	7%	5%	8%	4%	7%	5%
	Some of the time	48%	41%	46%	37%	46%	33%	45%	35%
	None of the time	40%	48%	43%	56%	42%	60%	44%	57%
How often do you pay attention in	All of the time	19%	31%	15%	19%	18%	24%	16%	22%
class?	Most of the time	65%	58%	70%	66%	65%	62%	64%	65%
	Some of the time	15%	9%	14%	14%	16%	14%	19%	13%
	None of the time	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%

^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 6 FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL

						ade			
			th		th		th		th
	gree or disagree with	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
each of the followin If something	•	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
interests me, I try to learn more	Strongly agree	35%	35%	38%	36%	47%	42%	56%	54%
about it.	Agree	60%	61%	59%	62%	51%	56%	42%	44%
	Disagree	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%
	Strongly disagree	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
I think things I learn at school are	Strongly agree	29%	34%	13%	10%	10%	10%	8%	9%
useful.	Agree	56%	55%	60%	64%	57%	61%	54%	62%
	Disagree	13%	8%	22%	23%	25%	26%	29%	25%
	Strongly disagree	3%	3%	5%	3%	7%	3%	9%	5%
Being a student is one of the most	Strongly agree	18%	19%	10%	10%	10%	10%	7%	12%
important parts of who I am.	Agree	47%	52%	46%	46%	44%	43%	39%	43%
	Disagree	27%	24%	36%	35%	36%	39%	38%	35%
	Strongly disagree	8%	5%	8%	8%	9%	8%	16%	10%
Overall, adults at my school treat	Strongly agree	31%	36%	19%	14%	17%	13%	17%	14%
students fairly.	Agree	49%	50%	57%	59%	60%	58%	58%	58%
	Disagree	14%	12%	18%	21%	18%	23%	16%	21%
	Strongly disagree	5%	3%	6%	6%	5%	7%	9%	7%
Adults at my school listen to the	Strongly agree	27%	31%	13%	11%	14%	8%	11%	9%
students.	Agree	54%	55%	60%	56%	58%	57%	57%	59%
	Disagree	14%	12%	22%	28%	22%	29%	23%	25%
	Strongly disagree	4%	2%	5%	5%	6%	6%	9%	7%
The school rules are fair.	Strongly agree	25%	31%	13%	10%	14%	10%	10%	10%
	Agree	51%	51%	57%	53%	60%	57%	53%	58%
	Disagree	18%	14%	25%	31%	21%	28%	27%	27%
	Strongly disagree	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%	10%	5%
At my school, teachers care	Strongly agree	53%	59%	24%	22%	21%	20%	21%	23%
about students.	Agree	40%	37%	63%	65%	63%	65%	64%	60%
	Disagree	5%	3%	10%	11%	12%	13%	11%	13%
	Strongly disagree	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	5%	3%
Most teachers at my school are	Strongly agree	22%	27%	12%	10%	12%	10%	14%	14%
interested in me as a person.	Agree	56%	55%	55%	53%	51%	50%	54%	51%
-	Disagree	18%	15%	26%	29%	27%	32%	24%	26%
	Strongly disagree	5%	4%	7%	8%	9%	7%	8%	9%

TABLE 7A PRESENCE OF A SCHOOL RESOURCE/POLICE OFFICER*

Northeast

				Gr	ade					
		8	8th 9th 11th							
		Male	Female							
		%	%	%	%	%	%			
Is there a police officer or School	Yes	73%	77%	77%	79%	73%	76%			
Resource Officer (SRO) at your	Νο	7%	4%	7%	5%	13%	11%			
school?	I don't know	20%	20%	17%	15%	14%	13%			

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 7B INTERACTIONS WITH A SCHOOL RESOURCE/POLICE OFFICER*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
INCLUDES ONLY T	HOSE WHO HAVE A	8	th	9	th	1 1	lth
SCHOOL RESOURCE (SRO) OR POLICE DFFICER AT THEIR SCHOOL f I knew about Strongly agree		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
OFFICER AT THEIR	SCHOÓL	%	%	%	%	%	%
If I knew about something unsafe	Strongly agree	25%	27%	20%	20%	16%	21%
or illegal at my school, I would tell	Agree	46%	46%	42%	43%	41%	50%
the SRO or police officer.	Disagree	22%	22%	28%	30%	27%	24%
	Strongly disagree	7%	4%	9%	7%	15%	5%
I would feel comfortable going	Strongly agree	20%	14%	19%	12%	18%	16%
to my school's SRO or police	Agree	46%	48%	44%	43%	47%	45%
officer if I was having problems	Disagree	27%	31%	29%	38%	25%	33%
or needed help.	Strongly disagree	6%	8%	8%	7%	10%	6%
I think it is a good idea to have an	Strongly agree	54%	52%	51%	51%	45%	48%
SRO or police officer at our	Agree	39%	42%	42%	45%	46%	47%
school.	Disagree	5%	4%	5%	3%	7%	4%
	Strongly disagree	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 8 PERCEPTIONS OF SAFETY

					Gra	ade			
		5	5th 8th 9th						lth
	agree or disagree	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	ollowing statements?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I feel safe going to and from	Strongly agree	51%	49%	46%	39%	49%	39%	52%	45%
school.	Agree	40%	45%	50%	54%	46%	54%	43%	49%
	Disagree	7%	5%	3%	6%	4%	6%	4%	5%
	Strongly disagree	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
l feel safe at school.	Strongly agree	48%	49%	38%	31%	37%	26%	43%	31%
	Agree	44%	44%	53%	56%	53%	59%	47%	57%
	Disagree	6%	6%	6%	11%	8%	13%	8%	10%
	Strongly disagree	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
I feel safe in my neighborhood.	Strongly agree	56%	49%	55%	45%	55%	45%	60%	51%
	Agree	36%	41%	42%	48%	40%	49%	36%	44%
	Disagree	6%	8%	3%	7%	4%	6%	2%	5%
	Strongly disagree	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
l feel safe at home.	Strongly agree	77%	72%	68%	61%	69%	61%	70%	63%
home.	Agree	20%	25%	30%	34%	28%	34%	27%	33%
	Disagree	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%	4%	2%	4%
	Strongly disagree	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

TABLE 9A AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION

					Gra	ide			
During a typical week, how often			ith		th		th		1th
do you go to the following places after school?		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
I stay at my school or go to another	0 days	79%	76%	64%	59%	61%	53%	67%	59%
school	1 day	5%	8%	6%	11%	10%	11%	7%	9%
	2 days	5%	6%	5%	7%	5%	7%	5%	6%
	3 to 4 days	4%	4%	8%	9%	8%	10%	6%	10%
	5 days	7%	5%	16%	15%	16%	18%	15%	16%
My home or another home such as a	0 days	28%	26%	13%	11%	15%	11%	14%	11%
friend's, relative's or neighbor's	1 day	18%	20%	12%	13%	12%	12%	8%	10%
	2 days	11%	11%	12%	13%	11%	12%	11%	14%
	3 to 4 days	11%	12%	11%	16%	13%	17%	17%	20%
	5 days	32%	31%	52%	47%	49%	48%	51%	45%
A rec, community or other youth center	0 days	83%	85%	84%	86%	86%	87%	87%	89%
	1 day	8%	7%	9%	7%	6%	7%	5%	5%
	2 days	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	3 to 4 days	4%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	5 days	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
A park or other outdoor space	0 days	62%	64%	64%	70%	68%	79%	74%	78%
	1 day	16%	16%	14%	14%	14%	12%	9%	11%
	2 days	10%	10%	9%	8%	9%	5%	7%	7%
	3 to 4 days	7%	7%	8%	5%	5%	2%	6%	3%
	5 days	5%	3%	5%	4%	4%	2%	4%	1%
A library	0 days	80%	79%	90%	87%	91%	90%	95%	90%
	1 day	13%	15%	6%	9%	5%	8%	3%	6%
	2 days	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	3 to 4 days	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	5 days	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
A church, synagogue, mosque, or other	0 days	80%	81%	74%	74%	79%	75%	84%	79%
spiritual/religious place	1 day	15%	16%	21%	22%	17%	20%	12%	17%
	2 days	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%
	3 to 4 days	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	5 days	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
A job*	0 days					84%	86%	55%	50%
	1 day					5%	5%	5%	8%
	2 days					5%	4%	14%	17%
	3 to 4 days	_				4%	4%	17%	19%
	5 days	1				3%	1%	8%	6%

Northeast

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.

TABLE 9B AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION*

Northeast

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During a typical week, how often are you home alone or	0 days	42%	43%
somewhere unsupervised after school?	1 day	23%	23%
	2 days	13%	13%
	3 days	10%	8%
	4 days	4%	4%
	5 days	9%	9%

* Only the 5th grade survey asked this question.

TABLE 10A BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS

Northeast

		Grade										
During the last 30 days,	how often have	5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th			
other students harasse		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female			
of the following reason	s?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%			
Your race, ethnicity or national origin	Never	84%	84%	88%	87%	88%	90%	89%	92%			
national origin	Once or twice	10%	12%	7%	9%	7%	8%	7%	7%			
	About once a week	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%			
	Several times a week	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%			
	Every day	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%			
Your religion	Never	90%	92%	93%	90%	92%	91%	94%	92%			
	Once or twice	7%	7%	5%	8%	5%	7%	4%	6%			
	About once a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%			
	Several times a week	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%			
	Every day	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%			
Your gender (being male, female,	Never	88%	82%	94%	87%	95%	89%	97%	91%			
transgender, etc.)^	Once or twice	7%	14%	3%	9%	3%	8%	1%	7%			
	About once a week	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%			
	Several times a week	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%			
	Every day	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%			
Your gender	Never					84%	75%	88%	82%			
expression (your style, dress, or the way you walk or talk)*	Once or twice					11%	17%	7%	13%			
	About once a week					3%	4%	2%	2%			
	Several times a week					1%	2%	1%	2%			
	Every day					1%	1%	1%	1%			

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question. ^ On the 5th grade survey, this item was worded "Your gender (being male or female)".

TABLE 10B BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS

Northeast

		Grade									
During the last 30 days	how often have	5	ith	8	th	9	th	11	1th		
	d or bullied you for any	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
of the following reason	s?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Because you are gay, lesbian, or bisexual or	Never					92%	89%	94%	94%		
because someone	Once or twice					4%	6%	3%	4%		
thought you were*	About once a week					1%	2%	1%	1%		
	Several times a week					2%	1%	1%	1%		
	Every day					1%	1%	1%	1%		
A physical or mental disability	Never	90%	91%	89%	88%	90%	88%	92%	89%		
disability	Once or twice	6%	7%	5%	8%	5%	7%	5%	8%		
	About once a week	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%		
	Several times a week	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%		
	Every day	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		
Your size or weight	Never	74%	75%	73%	68%	74%	72%	82%	77%		
	Once or twice	18%	18%	17%	21%	15%	18%	13%	15%		
	About once a week	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%	5%	3%	5%		
	Several times a week	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%		
	Every day	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%		
Your physical appearance	Never	74%	73%	67%	59%	70%	66%	78%	71%		
appearance	Once or twice	17%	19%	20%	27%	20%	24%	16%	22%		
-	About once a week	3%	3%	5%	7%	5%	5%	2%	4%		
	Several times a week	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%		
	Every day	3%	2%	4%	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%		

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.

TABLE 11A BEING CYBERBULLIED

Northeast

					Gr	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9th		11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, how often have you been cyberbullied? (Count being bullied through texting, Instagram, Snapchat or other social media)^	Never	83%	81%	89%	76%	87%	78%	91%	83%
	Once or twice	12%	15%	8%	18%	10%	17%	6%	14%
	About once a week	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%
	Several times a week	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
,	Every day	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%

^ Change in question wording from 2016.

TABLE 11B BEING BULLIED OR HARASSED AT SCHOOL

Northeast

					-	ade			
			th		ith		th		lth
During the last 30 d have other students	ays, on how many days	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
pushed, shoved,									
slapped, hit or		62%	75%	80%	85%	85%	87%	92%	93%
kicked you when they weren't	Once or twice	27%	19%	14%	10%	10%	10%	5%	5%
kidding around?	About once a week	5%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	4%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Every day	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
threatened to beat you up?	Never	68%	82%	80%	83%	83%	84%	90%	92%
	Once or twice	23%	14%	15%	13%	12%	12%	8%	7%
	About once a week	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Every day	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%
spread mean rumors or lies	Never	61%	56%	70%	54%	76%	59%	80%	61%
about you?	Once or twice	27%	33%	21%	31%	17%	30%	15%	30%
	About once a week	5%	5%	3%	8%	4%	5%	2%	5%
	Several times a week	4%	2%	2%	5%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	Every day	4%	4%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%
made sexual jokes, comments	Never			75%	64%	78%	68%	85%	72%
or gestures towards you?*	Once or twice			14%	21%	12%	20%	8%	20%
	About once a week			4%	7%	3%	6%	2%	4%
	Several times a week			2%	4%	3%	4%	2%	3%
	Every day			5%	3%	4%	2%	4%	1%
excluded you from friends, other	Never	64%	52%	75%	54%	79%	57%	85%	61%
students or activities?	Once or twice	25%	35%	17%	29%	14%	28%	10%	26%
	About once a week	5%	6%	4%	8%	4%	7%	2%	6%
	Several times a week	3%	5%	2%	6%	2%	4%	2%	3%
	Every day	3%	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	1%	3%
Bullied once or more in the last 30	No	35%	35%	46%	34%	55%	36%	63%	42%
days^	Yes	65%	65%	54%	66%	45%	64%	37%	58%
Bullied weekly or more in the last 30	No	77%	79%	79%	70%	82%	75%	86%	78%
days^	Yes	23%	21%	21%	30%	18%	25%	14%	22%
Bullied daily in the last 30 days^	No	93%	94%	92%	92%	94%	94%	95%	95%
	Yes	7%	6%	8%	8%	6%	6%	5%	5%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question. ^ These are computed variables based on combinations of responses to the first five questions on this table.

TABLE 12 BULLYING OR HARASSING OTHER STUDENTS AT SCHOOL

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	th		th	-	th	1'	lth
During the last 30 o		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
times at school hav		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
pushed, shoved, slapped, hit or	Never	80%	90%	85%	93%	88%	94%	93%	98%
kicked someone when you weren't	Once or twice	18%	9%	13%	6%	10%	5%	5%	2%
kidding around?	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Several times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	Every day	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
threatened to beat someone up?	Never	88%	94%	83%	88%	84%	91%	89%	96%
	Once or twice	11%	5%	15%	10%	12%	7%	9%	3%
	About once a week	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%
	Several times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%
spread mean	Every day	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
spread mean rumors or lies	Never	90%	92%	92%	88%	93%	90%	94%	91%
about someone else?	Once or twice	9%	7%	7%	11%	6%	9%	4%	8%
	About once a week	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Every day	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
made sexual jokes, comments	Never			81%	91%	80%	92%	84%	94%
or gestures towards someone	Once or twice			13%	7%	11%	7%	9%	6%
else?*	About once a week			3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	0%
	Several times a week			1%	1%	3%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day			2%	0%	3%	1%	3%	0%
excluded someone from	Never	82%	83%	85%	78%	87%	86%	89%	88%
friends, other students or	Once or twice	15%	15%	13%	20%	11%	14%	8%	12%
activities?	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Several times a week	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 13A AVAILABILITY OF COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9th		11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Does your school	Yes								
or community offer a variety of		58%	64%	70%	64%	68%	62%	60%	62%
programs for	No								
people your age to participate in outside of the regular school day?		10%	8%	7%	8%	10%	10%	15%	14%
	I don't know what programs are available in my	200/	200/	220/	200/	220/	200/	25%	249/
	community	32%	28%	22%	28%	22%	28%	25%	24%

TABLE 13B ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

During a typical we	eek. how often do				Gra	ade			
you participate in t	the following	·	th	-	th	-	th		lth
activities outside o	of the regular	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
school day?	A 1	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Sports teams, such as park and	0 days	40%	46%	36%	37%	41%	41%	45%	48%
rec teams, school teams, in-house	1 day	9%	13%	5%	6%	4%	4%	4%	2%
teams or traveling teams	2 days	16%	16%	8%	11%	7%	8%	4%	7%
	3 to 4 days	20%	16%	19%	21%	14%	15%	9%	13%
	5 or more days	15%	8%	32%	25%	34%	31%	38%	29%
School sponsored activities or clubs	0 days	82%	79%	84%	77%	80%	75%	76%	66%
that are not sports, such as drama, music, chess or science club	1 day	9%	11%	7%	9%	8%	10%	9%	10%
	2 days	4%	5%	3%	6%	4%	6%	4%	10%
	3 to 4 days	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%
	5 or more days	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	5%	6%	8%
Tutoring, homework help or	0 days	88%	88%	91%	91%	89%	90%	90%	87%
academic programs	1 day	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%
	2 days	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%
	3 to 4 days	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	5 or more days	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Leadership activities such as	0 days	94%	94%	95%	92%	92%	87%	88%	80%
student government,	1 day	3%	4%	3%	5%	4%	9%	7%	12%
youth councils or committees	2 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	6%
	3 to 4 days	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	5 or more days	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%

TABLE 13C ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

During a typical we	eek, how often do					ade			
you participate in t			ith	-	th	-	th		lth
activities outside o	of the regular	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
school day?	<u> </u>	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Artistic lessons, such as music or	0 days	85%	66%	89%	77%	88%	75%	91%	80%
dance	1 day	8%	15%	4%	7%	6%	10%	4%	8%
	2 days	4%	8%	2%	5%	2%	6%	2%	4%
	3 to 4 days	1%	6%	1%	6%	1%	4%	1%	4%
	5 or more days	2%	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%	5%
Physical activity lessons, such as	0 days	79%	79%	81%	81%	83%	84%	87%	86%
tennis or karate	1 day	6%	7%	3%	5%	4%	4%	2%	3%
	2 days	7%	7%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%
	3 to 4 days	5%	5%	6%	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	5 or more days	3%	3%	6%	4%	5%	5%	5%	3%
Other community clubs and	0 days	85%	86%	93%	93%	94%	93%	94%	93%
programs such as 4-H, Scouts, Y-	1 day	8%	9%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%
clubs or Community Ed	2 days	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	3 to 4 days	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	5 or more days	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Religious activities such as	0 days	83%	81%	73%	70%	78%	68%	81%	72%
religious services, education or	1 day	13%	15%	22%	25%	18%	26%	14%	21%
youth group	2 days	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	6%
	3 to 4 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	5 or more days	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

TABLE 14 QUALITY OF YOUTH ACTIVITIES^

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
When you spend time d		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the regular school da	-	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
feel safe?	Rarely or never	4%	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
	Sometimes	10%	12%	7%	10%	6%	9%	6%	7%
	Often	30%	30%	33%	36%	29%	37%	26%	34%
	Very often	56%	53%	58%	53%	62%	53%	66%	58%
learn skills like teamwork or	Rarely or never	15%	11%	13%	11%	14%	11%	11%	11%
leadership?	Sometimes	31%	32%	32%	31%	32%	31%	28%	25%
	Often	32%	33%	34%	36%	33%	37%	35%	35%
	Very often	22%	24%	21%	22%	21%	22%	27%	29%
develop trusting relationships with	Rarely or never	16%	15%	10%	12%	8%	10%	9%	10%
peers your age?	Sometimes	28%	29%	25%	28%	27%	30%	22%	31%
-	Often	33%	32%	39%	35%	40%	38%	37%	33%
	Very often	23%	24%	26%	25%	26%	22%	31%	26%
develop trusting relationships with adults?	Rarely or never	19%	18%	14%	14%	12%	13%	12%	12%
	Sometimes	31%	31%	34%	36%	32%	35%	26%	31%
	Often	30%	29%	32%	33%	34%	34%	37%	35%
	Very often	20%	22%	20%	17%	22%	18%	25%	22%
help make decisions?	Rarely or never	17%	14%	9%	10%	11%	10%	10%	8%
	Sometimes	34%	39%	35%	36%	32%	37%	26%	29%
	Often	32%	29%	36%	37%	38%	37%	40%	41%
	Very often	16%	18%	19%	17%	19%	16%	24%	22%
do something that	Rarely or never	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	7%	6%
gives you joy and energy?	Sometimes	14%	15%	15%	19%	16%	20%	17%	20%
	Often	29%	26%	35%	34%	34%	37%	34%	34%
	Very often	51%	52%	46%	42%	45%	37%	42%	40%
learn skills that you	Rarely or never	16%	18%	13%	14%	13%	14%	13%	13%
can use in a future job?	Sometimes	29%	33%	35%	41%	32%	40%	28%	34%
	Often	25%	23%	28%	27%	31%	29%	31%	31%
	Very often	29%	25%	24%	19%	24%	16%	29%	23%

^ These items are a subscale of the Constructive Use of Time Scale from the Developmental Assets Profile (DAP) (Search Institute, Minneapolis, MN).

TABLE 15 LIVING SITUATIONS

Northeast

					Gr	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you ever been in foster care? (Mark ALL that apply)^	Νο	94%	94%	94%	95%	95%	95%	95%	95%
	Yes, during the last year	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Yes, more than a year ago	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%
During the past 12 months, have you stayed in a shelter, somewhere not intended as a place to live, or someone else's home because you had no other place to stay? (Mark ALL that apply)*	No			94%	93%	93%	94%	96%	96%
	Yes, I was with my parents or adult family member			6%	6%	6%	4%	2%	3%
	Yes, I was on my own without any adult family members			1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
Have any of your parents or guardians ever been in jail or prison? (Mark ALL	None of my parents or guardians has ever been in jail or prison			77%	74%	77%	78%	80%	79%
that apply)*	Yes, I have a parent or guardian in jail or prison right now			2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
	Yes, I have had a parent or guardian in jail or prison in the past			21%	25%	21%	21%	18%	21%
HAD A PARENT OR GUARDIAN IN JAIL OR PRISON: Did you live with	Yes			49%	59%	48%	54%	40%	52%
	Νο			51%	41%	52%	46%	60%	48%

^ New question in 2019.* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 16 COMMUNICATION WITH ADULTS

Northeast

		Grade									
		5	th	8th		9th		1'	lth		
		Male Female		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Which of these adults can you talk to about problems you are having? (Mark ALL that apply)^	Parent or guardian	91%	90%	85%	78%	85%	75%	81%	76%		
	Adult at school	43%	44%	29%	29%	31%	30%	33%	32%		
	Some other adult	14%	18%	25%	31%	29%	35%	35%	34%		
	I don't have any adults that I can talk to about problems I am having	5%	6%	10%	14%	10%	15%	11%	13%		

^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 17 PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY AND OTHERS CARING

					Gra	ide			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1 1	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How much do you feel		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
your parents care about you?	Not at all	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	A little	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%
	Some	5%	5%	5%	9%	6%	9%	6%	11%
	Quite a bit	11%	11%	17%	20%	19%	22%	19%	21%
	Very much	83%	80%	75%	66%	71%	62%	69%	61%
other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	A little	2%	2%	3%	6%	4%	7%	5%	8%
	Some	7%	7%	10%	14%	11%	14%	10%	14%
	Quite a bit	24%	22%	29%	26%	30%	30%	34%	25%
	Very much	66%	67%	56%	52%	53%	47%	49%	50%
friends care about you?	Not at all	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	A little	5%	6%	4%	7%	6%	7%	4%	8%
	Some	17%	13%	20%	17%	19%	19%	19%	17%
	Quite a bit	42%	32%	42%	32%	41%	31%	39%	32%
	Very much	35%	47%	33%	42%	33%	41%	35%	40%
teachers/other adults at school care about you?	Not at all	4%	2%	6%	8%	9%	9%	7%	8%
	A little	9%	8%	15%	17%	16%	19%	18%	17%
	Some	18%	18%	33%	33%	34%	35%	30%	35%
	Quite a bit	38%	34%	30%	31%	26%	27%	29%	28%
	Very much	31%	38%	15%	10%	15%	11%	16%	12%
adults in your community care about you?	Not at all	7%	7%	10%	14%	12%	15%	13%	18%
,	A little	15%	12%	20%	19%	20%	22%	21%	23%
	Some	30%	25%	33%	30%	31%	32%	30%	27%
	Quite a bit	28%	32%	24%	26%	23%	20%	20%	20%
	Very much	20%	24%	14%	12%	15%	11%	16%	12%

TABLE 18 ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES*

Northeast

		Grade							
		8	th	9	th	h 11			
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
		%	%	%	%	%	%		
Do you live with anyone who drinks too much alcohol?	Yes	9%	13%	13%	14%	12%	17%		
	No	91%	87%	88%	86%	88%	83%		
Do you live with anyone who uses illegal drugs or abuses prescription	Yes	5%	6%	6%	9%	6%	9%		
drugs?	No	95%	94%	94%	91%	94%	91%		
Do you live with anyone who is depressed or has any other mental	Yes	17%	33%	24%	39%	25%	41%		
health issues?^	No	83%	67%	76%	61%	75%	59%		
Does a parent or other adult in your home regularly swear at you, insult	Yes	12%	19%	15%	20%	13%	24%		
you or put you down?	No	88%	81%	85%	80%	87%	76%		
Has a parent or other adult in your home ever hit, beat, kicked or	Yes	11%	14%	14%	12%	12%	14%		
physically hurt you in any way?	No	89%	86%	86%	88%	88%	86%		
Have your parents or other adults in your home ever slapped, hit, kicked, punched or beat each other up?	Yes	7%	10%	7%	10%	7%	11%		
	No	93%	90%	93%	90%	93%	89%		
Has anyone who was not a relative/family member ever pressured, tricked, or forced you to do something	Yes	2%	7%	2%	10%	1%	14%		
sexual or done something sexual to you against your wishes?^^	No	98%	93%	98%	90%	99%	86%		
Has any relative/family member ever pressured, tricked, or forced you to do	Yes	2%	6%	2%	5%	1%	5%		
something sexual or done something sexual to you?^^	No	98%	94%	98%	95%	99%	95%		
Have you ever traded sex or sexual activity to receive money, food, drugs,	Yes			2%	1%	2%	2%		
alcohol, a place to stay, or anything else?^**	No			98%	99%	98%	98%		
ACEs Score-short^^^	None	56%	46%	50%	42%	52%	37%		
	One	24%	20%	26%	23%	23%	24%		
	Тwo	10%	13%	11%	15%	13%	13%		
	Three	5%	9%	6%	8%	6%	13%		
	Four or more	6%	12%	7%	12%	6%	13%		

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.
^ New question in 2019.
^^ Change in question wording from 2016.
^^ An adverse childhood experience (ACE) describes a traumatic experience in a person's life occurring before age 18. The ACEs Score-short is a measure of cumulative exposure to adverse childhood conditions, and combined the response to all with the last question in this table plue the responses to the first question about combines the responses to all but the last question in this table plus the responses to the first question about parental incarceration (See Table 15).

TABLE 19 **RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE*^**

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Have you been in a casual or serious relationship where your partner ever	Yes	5%	3%	4%	5%	3%	8%
physically hurt you on purpose?	Νο	95%	97%	96%	95%	97%	92%
Have you been in a casual or serious relationship where your partner ever verbally hurt or controlled you?	Yes	10%	13%	10%	16%	10%	28%
	Νο	90%	87%	90%	84%	90%	72%
Have you been in a casual or serious relationship where your partner ever pressured, tricked, or	Yes			3%	12%	3%	19%
forced you to do something sexual, or did something sexual to you against your wishes?**	Νο			97%	88%	97%	81%
Have YOU ever pressured, tricked, or forced someone to do something sexual, or	Yes			2%	2%	1%	1%
have YOU done something sexual to someone against their wishes?**	Νο			94%	96%	94%	97%
	Not sure			4%	3%	4%	2%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.
^ All questions on this table were new in 2019.

TABLE 20 GENERAL HEALTH AND HEALTH CONDITIONS

Northeast

		Grade								
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th	
		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	
How would you describe your health in general?	Excellent	33%	31%	28%	21%	29%	16%	30%	19%	
in general:	Very good	34%	37%	39%	36%	38%	39%	39%	36%	
	Good	27%	26%	25%	31%	23%	31%	22%	31%	
	Fair	5%	5%	8%	10%	9%	11%	8%	12%	
	Poor	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	
Do you have any physical disabilities, or long-term health problems (such as asthma, cancer,	Yes	15%	14%	12%	18%	16%	19%	13%	20%	
diabetes, epilepsy or something else)? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.	Νο	85%	86%	88%	82%	84%	81%	87%	80%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have diabetes?^	Yes	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
	No	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%	99%	99%	99%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have pre-diabetes? [^]	Yes	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
	Νο	99%	100%	98%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?	Yes	12%	10%	14%	18%	18%	18%	18%	19%	
	Νο	88%	90%	86%	82%	82%	82%	82%	81%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have an allergy that requires	Yes	4%	4%	5%	4%	6%	6%	4%	5%	
you to carry an epi-pen?	Νο	96%	96%	95%	96%	94%	94%	96%	95%	
Do you have any long-term mental health, behavioral or emotional	Yes			15%	29%	20%	34%	16%	37%	
problems? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.*	Νο			85%	71%	80%	66%	84%	63%	
Weight status* according to Body Mass Index (BMI)**	Normal or underweight			68%	77%	69%	74%	66%	74%	
	Overweight			16%	15%	16%	17%	15%	15%	
	Obese			15%	8%	15%	10%	19%	11%	

^ New question in 2019.

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

** Body Mass Index (BMI) is a number calculated from a child's self-reported weight and height. BMI is calculated using a standard formula. BMI-for-age percentiles are used to interpret BMI numbers for children and teens. CDC BMI-for-age growth charts were used to determine weight status according to BMI for participants in the Minnesota Student Survey.

Not overweight: Less than the 85th percentile Overweight: 85th to less than the 95th percentile Obese: Equal to or greater than the 95th percentile

TABLE 21 RECEIPT OF TREATMENT; ORAL HEALTH

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	Sth	11th			
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
for a mental health, emotional or behavioral problem? (Mark ALL that apply)*	No			82%	77%	78%	71%	78%	65%
	Yes, during the last year			9%	16%	13%	20%	12%	25%
	Yes, more than a year ago			11%	11%	12%	13%	13%	17%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or drug problem? (Mark ALL that	No			98%	98%	97%	97%	98%	98%
apply)*	Yes, during the last year			2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Yes, more than a year ago			1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
When was the last time you saw a dentist for a check-up, exam or teeth cleaning or other dental work? [^]	During the last year	81%	84%	84%	84%	83%	85%	78%	81%
	Between 1 and 2 years ago	12%	11%	11%	11%	10%	10%	14%	13%
	More than 2 years ago	5%	3%	4%	4%	7%	4%	6%	5%
	Never	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Have you any of the following dental problems during the past 12 months?	Toothaches or pain	22%	21%	19%	22%	19%	24%	19%	27%
(Mark ALL that apply)^^	Decayed teeth or cavities	15%	14%	14%	14%	15%	14%	16%	18%
	Swollen, painful or bleeding gums	8%	8%	7%	9%	8%	9%	6%	8%
	Could not eat certain foods because of a dental problem	6%	6%	4%	6%	4%	7%	5%	7%
	Missed one or more school days because of a dental problem	9%	9%	8%	7%	5%	5%	6%	8%
	I have not had any of these dental health problems	62%	63%	65%	64%	66%	64%	65%	60%
IF ONE OR MORE DENTAL PROBLEMS: Have you had this dental problem treated	Yes	69%	67%	69%	68%	70%	68%	68%	69%
by a dentist?^^	No, but I will see a dentist	26%	27%	24%	28%	24%	26%	26%	24%
	No, I am not able to get dental treatment	5%	6%	6%	3%	5%	6%	6%	7%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.
 ^ Change in question wording from 2016.
 ^^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 22 PHYSICAL ACTIVITY; SLEEP; USE OF INDOOR TANNING DEVICE

Northeast

					Gra	de			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 7 days, on how many days	0 days	11%	12%	6%	7%	6%	9%	7%	14%
were you physically active for a total of AT LEAST 60 MINUTES	1 day	7%	8%	3%	6%	5%	7%	5%	9%
PER DAY?	2 days	9%	12%	6%	10%	8%	11%	8%	11%
	3 days	11%	16%	8%	15%	9%	16%	12%	18%
	4 days	13%	15%	14%	15%	11%	14%	11%	13%
	5 days	14%	13%	20%	21%	19%	22%	20%	19%
	6 days	8%	8%	13%	10%	14%	10%	13%	9%
	7 days	27%	17%	29%	15%	27%	11%	24%	8%
During a typical school night, how many hours	4 hours or less	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	7%	6%	7%
of sleep do you get?	5 hours	3%	4%	7%	10%	9%	9%	12%	14%
	6 hours	7%	7%	13%	15%	15%	20%	21%	23%
	7 hours	12%	11%	24%	27%	30%	32%	31%	32%
	8 hours	23%	22%	30%	26%	27%	23%	24%	19%
	9 hours	28%	26%	15%	13%	10%	6%	6%	4%
	10 or more hours	23%	26%	6%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%
During the last 12 months, how many	0 times			98%	98%	96%	98%	97%	92%
times did you use an indoor tanning device	1 or 2 times			1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%
such as a sunlamp, sunbed or tanning booth?*	3 to 9 times			0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
	10 to 19 times			0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	20 to 39 times			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	40 or more times			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

TABLE 23 EATING MEALS

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, have you had to skip meals because your	Yes	4%	4%	4%	6%	5%	5%	6%	9%
family did not have enough money to buy food?	Νο	96%	96%	96%	94%	95%	95%	94%	91%
During a typical school week, where do you	I usually don't eat lunch.	6%	7%	9%	17%	8%	19%	10%	17%
usually get your lunch? (Mark ALL that apply)	Regular school lunch from the cafeteria	75%	68%	62%	50%	68%	49%	61%	49%
	The a la carte line (buy individual items)	1%	1%	9%	9%	13%	11%	11%	8%
	School store or vending machine	2%	1%	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	2%
	Fast food restaurant, gas station or somewhere else outside of school	3%	1%	2%	2%	5%	4%	17%	13%
	I bring lunch from home.	37%	48%	38%	47%	31%	45%	32%	47%
Do you currently get free or reduced-price lunch at	Yes	24%	21%	26%	26%	24%	24%	25%	26%
school?^	No	43%	39%	60%	60%	63%	64%	69%	68%
	Not sure	33%	40%	14%	14%	13%	12%	7%	5%

^ Change in question wording from 2016.

TABLE 24A NUTRITION

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1'	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 7 days, how many	I did NOT eat or drink this	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
times did you drink 100% fruit juices		25%	25%	22%	29%	22%	31%	25%	29%
such as orange, apple or grape juice? (Do not count punch, Kool-	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	36%	38%	39%	43%	39%	43%	40%	45%
Aid, sports drinks or other fruit- flavored drinks)^	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	13%	11%	17%	11%	17%	12%	15%	12%
	1 time per day	12%	12%	10%	9%	11%	8%	11%	9%
	2 times per day	6%	6%	5%	4%	7%	4%	5%	3%
	3 times per day	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	4 or more times per day	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat fruit? (Do not	I did NOT eat or drink this	8%	5%	7%	6%	8%	5%	10%	7%
count fruit juice)^	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	25%	24%	26%	26%	25%	26%	33%	31%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	19%	19%	23%	21%	22%	23%	22%	20%
	1 time per day	15%	13%	18%	17%	19%	18%	17%	15%
	2 times per day	15%	17%	14%	17%	14%	16%	11%	17%
	3 times per day	6%	8%	6%	8%	6%	6%	4%	6%
	4 or more times per day	11%	13%	6%	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat green salad,	I did NOT eat or drink this	14%	9%	11%	7%	11%	7%	12%	6%
potatoes, carrots or other vegetables? (Do not count French	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	31%	28%	29%	26%	29%	28%	36%	30%
fries, fried potatoes, or potato chips)	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	19%	20%	22%	24%	20%	22%	22%	23%
	1 time per day	14%	19%	19%	20%	21%	21%	18%	18%
	2 times per day	11%	11%	11%	14%	12%	14%	8%	14%
	3 times per day	4%	6%	4%	6%	3%	5%	1%	5%
	4 or more times per day	7%	8%	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%	4%
During the last 7 days, how many times did you eat from a fast food	I did NOT eat or drink this	36%	39%	32%	35%	27%	32%	22%	25%
restaurant, including carry-out or delivery?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	51%	51%	59%	57%	62%	59%	62%	62%
··· · · ·	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	5%	4%	4%	5%	6%	5%	10%	8%
	1 time per day	5%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	2 times per day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 times per day	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or more times per day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Servings of fruits, fruit juice and vegetables per day during the last 7	Less than five	80%	76%	84%	85%	85%	86%	90%	87%
days^^	Five or more	20%	24%	16%	15%	15%	14%	10%	13%

^ Change in question wording from 2016.
^^ This is a computed variable based on combinations of responses to the first three questions on this table.

TABLE 24B NUTRITION^

					Gra	ade			
			ith		th		th		1th
During the last 7 days, how my	ny timos did you drink	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female
During the last 7 days, how ma a glass of milk?	I did NOT eat or drink this	8%	13%	9%	21%	12%	24%	13%	% 28%
	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	17%	18%	15%	21%	15%	24%	21%	20%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	_	17%		16%	17%		18%	
	1 time per day	19%		18%			15%	-	14%
	2 times per day	16%	14%	18%	15%	18%	17%	16%	18%
	3 times per day	16%	15%	18%	13%	20%	12%	16%	11%
	4 or more times per day	10%	10%	11%	6%	11%	5%	9%	4%
a can bottle or glass of pop or		14%	12%	11%	5%	8%	4%	7%	3%
a can, bottle or glass of pop or soda, such as Coke, Pepsi or	I did NOT eat or drink this	33%	42%	24%	39%	23%	39%	24%	40%
Sprite?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	43%	42%	48%	45%	43%	42%	39%	40%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	8%	5%	12%	9%	15%	8%	17%	11%
	1 time per day	9%	5%	8%	5%	8%	5%	10%	4%
	2 times per day	2%	2%	4%	2%	5%	2%	5%	2%
	3 times per day	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%
	4 or more times per day	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%
a can, bottle or glass of a sports drink, such as Gatorade or	I did NOT eat or drink this	44%	60%	37%	58%	37%	59%	38%	58%
Powerade?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	33%	28%	38%	31%	35%	30%	36%	28%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	9%	5%	12%	6%	14%	6%	13%	8%
	1 time per day	7%	4%	7%	3%	8%	3%	7%	3%
	2 times per day	3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%
	3 times per day	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or more times per day	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%
a can, bottle or glass of an energ	I did NOT eat or drink this	85%	93%	76%	86%	69%	82%	67%	82%
drink, such as Rockstar, Red Bull, Monster or Full Throttle?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days								
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	8%	4%	15%	11%	20%	13%	22%	13%
	1 time per day	1%	1%	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%	2%
		2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%	2%
	2 times per day	1%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	3 times per day	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or more times per day	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
a can, bottle or glass of coffee or tea that had sugar, syrups, or honey		68%	60%	57%	43%	57%	37%	50%	37%
added to it?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	20%	28%	28%	39%	23%	37%	29%	35%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	3%	4%	6%	8%	8%	13%	9%	13%
	1 time per day	5%	5%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10%
	2 times per day	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%
	3 times per day	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	4 or more times per day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
a can, bottle or glass of sweetened fruit drinks, such as	I did NOT eat or drink this	45%	44%	45%	53%	48%	54%	52%	54%
Kool-Aid, Capri Sun and lemonade?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	33%	37%	35%	32%	34%	34%	32%	32%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	8%	7%	9%	8%	8%	6%	9%	7%
	1 time per day	9%	7%	6%	5%	5%	3%	5%	4%
	2 times per day	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	3 times per day	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	4 or more times per day	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
a bottle or glass of water?	I did NOT eat or drink this								
.	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	9%	8%	7%	6%	6%	6%	7%	7%
	1 time per day	13%	13%	9%	10%	10%	9%	12%	8%
		9%	7%	9%	9%	10%	10%	9%	9%
	2 times per day	13%	12%	16%	16%	18%	16%	15%	15%
	3 times per day	12%	13%	20%	19%	19%	20%	19%	20%
	4 or more times per day	41%	46%	37%	39%	35%	38%	36%	40%

^ All questions on this table were new in 2019.

TABLE 25 VEHICLE SAFETY[^]

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
When driving a car, truck or SUV, how often do you send or read text	I don't drive a car, truck or SUV					67%	74%	16%	20%
messages or emails?*	I never do this					25%	23%	33%	34%
	Rarely					4%	2%	24%	23%
	Sometimes					2%	1%	15%	15%
	Often					1%	0%	7%	6%
	Always					1%	0%	4%	1%
When driving a car, truck or SUV, now often do you make or answer a	I don't drive a car, truck or SUV					66%	74%	16%	19%
phone call?*	I never do this					22%	20%	20%	22%
	Rarely					5%	4%	22%	25%
	Sometimes					4%	2%	21%	20%
	Often					1%	0%	12%	10%
	Always					2%	0%	9%	5%
How often do you wear a seat belt when you are driving or riding in a	I don't ride in a car, truck or SUV	1%	1%	0%	0%	24%	20%	7%	6%
car, truck or SUV?**	I never do this	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	Rarely	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Sometimes	3%	3%	4%	5%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Often	11%	8%	15%	17%	10%	12%	9%	5%
	Always	83%	87%	77%	76%	61%	64%	79%	85%

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.
 ** On the 5th and 8th grade surveys, this question was worded "How often do you wear a seat belt when you are riding in a car, truck or SUV?
 ^ All questions on this table had wording changes from 2016.

TABLE 26A **SELF DESCRIPTION^**

					Gra	de			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1	1th
In general, how does each	n of the following	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe you?	>	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I feel in control of my life and future.*	Not at all or rarely	12%	14%	4%	10%	6%	8%	7%	9%
	Somewhat or sometimes	34%	34%	20%	30%	23%	35%	25%	34%
	Very or often	37%	37%	47%	37%	45%	37%	39%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	17%	15%	28%	23%	27%	20%	29%	20%
I feel good about myself.	Not at all or rarely	5%	9%	5%	19%	8%	19%	6%	15%
	Somewhat or sometimes	18%	23%	24%	34%	23%	38%	28%	38%
	Very or often	38%	34%	45%	30%	42%	31%	37%	32%
	Extremely or almost always	39%	34%	26%	17%	27%	13%	28%	14%
I feel good about my future.	Not at all or rarely	6%	6%	6%	9%	7%	10%	7%	10%
	Somewhat or sometimes	18%	20%	20%	28%	24%	31%	25%	33%
	Very or often	37%	36%	42%	37%	40%	37%	41%	35%
	Extremely or almost always	38%	38%	32%	27%	30%	22%	27%	21%
I deal with disappointment without getting too upset.	Not at all or rarely	15%	15%	10%	14%	10%	17%	9%	15%
malout gotting too upool.	Somewhat or sometimes	34%	33%	33%	37%	32%	40%	31%	42%
	Very or often	37%	35%	39%	34%	40%	32%	40%	34%
	Extremely or almost always	14%	16%	18%	15%	18%	11%	20%	10%
I find good ways to deal with things that are hard in my life.	Not at all or rarely	10%	10%	8%	15%	9%	14%	8%	12%
	Somewhat or sometimes	30%	29%	31%	37%	30%	41%	28%	39%
	Very or often	41%	39%	43%	33%	40%	33%	42%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	19%	23%	19%	15%	20%	12%	21%	13%
I am thinking about what my purpose is in life.**	Not at all or rarely	8%	7%	14%	11%	13%	9%	11%	7%
	Somewhat or sometimes	28%	26%	30%	29%	26%	29%	24%	25%
	Very or often	37%	39%	31%	33%	35%	33%	36%	38%
	Extremely or almost always	28%	28%	25%	27%	26%	29%	29%	30%

* On the 5th grade survey, this item was worded "I can shape and influence what happens in my life and future."
 ** On the 5th grade survey, this item was worded "I think about what I want to do in my life when I grow up."
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TABLE 26B SELF DESCRIPTION[^]

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	11	lth
In general, how does each	h of the following	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe you?	÷	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I say no to things that are dangerous or unhealthy.	Not at all or rarely	10%	8%	6%	8%	7%	7%	7%	7%
	Somewhat or sometimes	17%	10%	20%	18%	24%	24%	27%	26%
	Very or often	26%	20%	31%	23%	29%	28%	30%	29%
	Extremely or almost always	47%	62%	43%	51%	40%	41%	35%	38%
I build friendships with other people.	Not at all or rarely	6%	8%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	6%
	Somewhat or sometimes	28%	26%	27%	28%	27%	31%	25%	34%
	Very or often	40%	38%	43%	42%	43%	40%	43%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	26%	28%	25%	22%	25%	22%	26%	23%
l express my feelings in proper ways.	Not at all or rarely	13%	10%	11%	14%	13%	14%	10%	11%
	Somewhat or sometimes	32%	30%	35%	35%	34%	38%	32%	39%
	Very or often	36%	37%	39%	36%	36%	37%	39%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	18%	23%	15%	14%	18%	11%	19%	13%
I plan ahead and make good choices.	Not at all or rarely	8%	5%	9%	10%	7%	9%	7%	7%
	Somewhat or sometimes	29%	24%	33%	30%	36%	32%	33%	32%
	Very or often	40%	37%	39%	36%	38%	39%	38%	40%
	Extremely or almost always	23%	35%	19%	24%	18%	20%	22%	21%
I stay away from bad influences.	Not at all or rarely	6%	5%	7%	9%	8%	10%	9%	9%
	Somewhat or sometimes	21%	15%	24%	24%	25%	29%	29%	29%
	Very or often	33%	25%	34%	29%	33%	28%	32%	29%
	Extremely or almost always	40%	56%	35%	39%	34%	33%	31%	33%
I resolve conflicts without anyone getting hurt.	Not at all or rarely	9%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%
ang ene goung nana	Somewhat or sometimes	28%	17%	30%	27%	28%	27%	22%	26%
	Very or often	35%	37%	39%	40%	43%	42%	45%	42%
	Extremely or almost always	28%	41%	24%	28%	23%	26%	28%	27%

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TABLE 26C SELF DESCRIPTION[^]

					Gra	de			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	11	1th
In general, how does each	h of the following	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
statements describe you?	?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I accept people who are different from me.	Not at all or rarely	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	4%	2%
	Somewhat or sometimes	10%	6%	14%	7%	17%	8%	16%	8%
	Very or often	32%	24%	41%	32%	41%	32%	41%	31%
	Extremely or almost always	56%	68%	42%	60%	39%	60%	39%	59%
I am sensitive to the needs and feelings of others.	Not at all or rarely	11%	6%	10%	5%	11%	4%	9%	4%
3	Somewhat or sometimes	28%	19%	33%	20%	31%	21%	27%	16%
	Very or often	33%	36%	36%	39%	37%	39%	39%	37%
	Extremely or almost always	28%	38%	20%	36%	21%	36%	25%	42%
I feel valued and appreciated by others.	Not at all or rarely	8%	8%	8%	12%	9%	13%	7%	14%
.,	Somewhat or sometimes	25%	25%	29%	34%	26%	36%	28%	35%
	Very or often	40%	33%	40%	36%	44%	34%	42%	33%
	Extremely or almost always	28%	34%	23%	19%	22%	17%	22%	18%
I am included in family tasks and decisions.	Not at all or rarely	5%	5%	6%	8%	6%	9%	8%	14%
	Somewhat or sometimes	21%	18%	21%	25%	23%	26%	23%	25%
	Very or often	36%	36%	41%	37%	39%	38%	39%	34%
	Extremely or almost always	38%	41%	32%	30%	31%	27%	30%	27%
I am given useful roles and responsibilities.	Not at all or rarely	7%	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%
	Somewhat or sometimes	21%	17%	25%	26%	23%	27%	24%	26%
	Very or often	41%	40%	41%	41%	44%	40%	43%	39%
	Extremely or almost always	31%	39%	29%	27%	26%	26%	27%	29%

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TABLE 27A **EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS***

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1 [,]	lth
Over the last two weeks, ho	ow often have vou been	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
bothered by?	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	%	%	%	%	%	%
little interest or pleasure in doing things?	Not at all	57%	45%	53%	43%	51%	39%
	Several days	30%	34%	30%	34%	30%	37%
	More than half the days	8%	12%	9%	13%	11%	12%
	Nearly every day	5%	10%	7%	10%	8%	12%
feeling down, depressed or hopeless?	Not at all	67%	47%	65%	42%	63%	40%
	Several days	21%	29%	22%	30%	23%	34%
	More than half the days	6%	11%	7%	13%	8%	12%
	Nearly every day	6%	13%	6%	15%	6%	15%
feeling nervous, anxious or on edge?^	Not at all	57%	33%	50%	26%	50%	26%
	Several days	29%	37%	34%	36%	32%	34%
	More than half the days	9%	13%	9%	15%	11%	18%
	Nearly every day	5%	17%	7%	22%	7%	22%
not being able to stop or control worrying? [^]	Not at all	70%	45%	67%	38%	63%	33%
	Several days	18%	28%	20%	29%	22%	30%
	More than half the days	6%	12%	6%	13%	8%	18%
	Nearly every day	6%	15%	7%	20%	7%	20%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 27B **EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS***

Northeast

		Gra	ade
		5	th
	how much do you agree or disagree	Male	Female
with the following statements?		%	%
I worry a lot.	Strongly agree	8%	18%
	Agree	21%	29%
	Neither agree nor disagree	32%	27%
	Disagree	22%	17%
	Strongly disagree	17%	9%
I sometimes feel sad without knowing why.^	Strongly agree	11%	20%
	Agree	25%	32%
	Neither agree nor disagree	19%	17%
	Disagree	21%	15%
	Strongly disagree	23%	16%

* Only the 5th grade survey asked these questions. ^ Change in question wording from 2016

TABLE 28 SELF-INFLICTED INJURY; SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND SUICIDAL BEHAVIOR*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1 [,]	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	% %		%
During the last 12 months, how many	0 times	86%	70%	86%	73%	90%	76%
times did you do something to	1 or 2 times	7%	13%	7%	12%	5%	10%
purposely hurt or	3 to 5 times	3%	5%	3%	6%	2%	5%
injure yourself without wanting to die, such as cutting, burning, or bruising yourself on	6 to 9 times	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%
	10 to 19 times	1%	3%	1%	3%	0%	2%
purpose?	20 or more times	1%	5%	1%	4%	1%	4%
Have you ever seriously considered	Νο	85%	72%	81%	69%	80%	66%
attempting suicide? (Mark ALL that apply)	Yes, during the last year	10%	18%	12%	21%	9%	18%
	Yes, more than a year ago	8%	14%	11%	15%	13%	23%
Have you ever actually attempted suicide?	Νο	95%	90%	93%	89%	93%	86%
(Mark ALL that apply)	Yes, during the last year	3%	6%	3%	7%	2%	5%
	Yes, more than a year ago	3%	6%	5%	6%	5%	11%

TABLE 29PROBLEMATIC AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR

Northeast

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
During the last 12 r	nonths, how often	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
have you		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
run away from home?	Never	94%	94%	94%	91%	93%	92%	95%	93%
	Once or twice	5%	5%	5%	7%	6%	7%	4%	6%
	3 to 5 times	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
damaged or destroyed	Never	81%	92%	80%	87%	77%	90%	83%	93%
property?	Once or twice	15%	7%	15%	10%	18%	8%	13%	5%
	3 to 5 times	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
	6 to 9 times	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	10 or more times	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
hit or beat up another person?	Never	72%	85%	77%	85%	80%	91%	86%	93%
	Once or twice	20%	11%	17%	12%	15%	7%	11%	6%
	3 to 5 times	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 times	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10 or more times	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
taken something from a store	Never	93%	95%	89%	88%	89%	88%	88%	84%
without paying for it?	Once or twice	5%	4%	7%	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%
11.1	3 to 5 times	0%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	6 to 9 times	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	10 or more times	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%

TABLE 30A GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1 [.]	1th
During the last 12 mont	hs, how often have you	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
	bling/betting activities?	%	%	%	%	%	%
Played cards, bet on sports teams or	Not at all	64%	81%	64%	83%	66%	88%
games of personal skill like video gaming,	Less than once a month	19%	12%	19%	11%	18%	8%
pool, golf or bowling	About once a month	8%	3%	8%	3%	10%	3%
	About once a week	3%	2%	5%	1%	3%	1%
	2 to 6 times a week	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%
	Daily	3%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch offs	Not at all	90%	92%	91%	93%	91%	95%
	Less than once a month	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	4%
	About once a month	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	About once a week	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	98%	99%	97%	99%	96%	98%
	Less than once a month	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	About once a month	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	About once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Gambled for money online	Not at all	95%	99%	96%	99%	97%	99%
	Less than once a month	2%	0%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	About once a month	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	About once a week	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%

TABLE 30B GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*

Northeast

		Grade					
INCLUDES ONLY THOS	E WHO HAVE	8	th	9	th	11th	
PARTICIPATED IN ANY		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
ACTIVITIES DURING TH	IE LAST 12 MONTHS	%	%	%	%	%	%
hidden your gambling/betting from	Never	89%	96%	89%	95%	92%	97%
your parents, other family members or	Sometimes	6%	3%	7%	4%	4%	3%
teachers?	Many times	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%
	All of the time	4%	0%	2%	1%	3%	0%
felt that you might have a problem with	Never	93%	99%	92%	98%	95%	98%
gambling/betting?	Sometimes	3%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%
	Many times	2%	0%	3%	0%	1%	0%
	All of the time	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
skipped hanging out with friends who do	Never	95%	97%	95%	98%	96%	96%
not gamble/bet to hang out with friends who do gamble/bet?	Sometimes	3%	2%	3%	0%	2%	3%
	Many times	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	All of the time	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%

TABLE 31 SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE**

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Use of conventional tobacco products (cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco) during	Νο	94%	95%	91%	93%	85%	89%
the past 30 days	Yes	6%	5%	9%	7%	15%	11%
Use of any tobacco products, including e-	Νο	84%	80%	78%	76%	66%	66%
cigarettes and hookah, during the past 30 days	Yes	16%	20%	22%	24%	34%	34%
Frequent binge drinking in the past year (typically drank 5 or more drinks at a	Νο	100%	99%	99%	99%	94%	97%
time and drank on 10 or more occasions during the past year)	Yes	0%	1%	1%	1%	6%	3%
Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco)	No alcohol or marijuana or other drug use in the past year	75%	72%	70%	64%	54%	52%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	9%	10%	13%	15%	17%	20%
	Used alcohol and marijuana in past year, but not other drugs	2%	3%	4%	6%	12%	12%
	Used marijuana or other drugs but not alcohol in the past year	8%	6%	4%	7%	7%	5%
	Used alcohol and marijuana or other drugs in the past year	6%	9%	9%	8%	10%	11%

** These are all computed variables based on combinations of responses to two or more survey items.

TABLE 32 SUBSTANCE ABUSE*

Northeast

			ade th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 30 days, have you smoked any cigarettes?	Yes	1%	1%
	Νο	99%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you had alcoholic beverages to	Yes	5%	3%
drink such as beer, wine, wine coolers, and liquor?	Νο	95%	97%
During the last 12 months, have you used marijuana (pot, weed) or	Yes	1%	1%
hashish (hash, hash oil)?	Νο	99%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you sniffed glue or huffed or inhaled the contents of aerosol	Yes	2%	2%
spray cans or other gases to get high?	Νο	98%	98%
During the last 12 months, have you used prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription or	Yes	2%	1%
differently than how a doctor told you to use it?^	Νο	98%	99%

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TABLE 33 TOBACCO USE*

		<u> </u>			ade	11th		
		Male	th Female	9 Male	th Female	1 [.] Male	1th Female	
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you		wiale %	Female %	wate %	Female %	Male %	Female %	
smoke a cigarette?	0 days	96%	95%	94%	94%		91%	
	1 to 2 days	2%	3%	3%			5%	
	3 to 9 days							
	10 to 19 days	0%	1%	1%			2%	
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%		1%	1%	
	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	
smoke cigars, cigarillos or little cigars?	0 days	98%	99%	96%	98%	92%	97%	
	1 to 2 days	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%	
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%	
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
	3 to 9 days 0% 0% 1% 0% 3% 10 to 19 days 0% </td <td>0%</td>	0%						
use chewing tobacco, snuff or dip?	0 days	97%	99%	95%	99%	92%	99%	
	1 to 2 days	2%	0%	3%	1%	2%	1%	
	3 to 9 days						0%	
	10 to 19 days	2% 1% 2% 1% 4% 0% 0% 1% 0% 3% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 1% 97% 99% 95% 99% 92% 2% 0% 3% 1% 2% 0% 0% 1% 0% 2% 0% 0% 1% 0% 2% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 2% 0% 0% 0% 0% 2% 0% 0% 0% 0% 2% 0% 0% 3% 3% 4% 1%	0%					
	20 to 29 days	-			0% 1% 0% 0% 0% 2% 77% 68%	0%		
	All 30 days							
vape or use an e-cigarette like JUUL, suorin, blu, VUSE, or logic?^	-						09	
							68%	
		5%	9%	8%	9%	9%	119	
	-	4%	5%	3%	5%	6%	5%	
	-	2%	3%	3%	3%	4% 91% 3% 4% 1% 2% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 4% 0% 2% 1% 4% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 2% 1% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 2% 0% 4% 3% 4% 3% 4% 3% 4% 0% 1% 1% 1% 1% 1% 1% 3% 1% 3% 1% 3% 1%	49	
	-	1%	1%	2%	3%		39	
	All 30 days	2%	2%	4%	3%		89	
use a hookah or a waterpipe to smoke tobacco?	0 days	99%	99%	97%	99%	96%	99%	
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	1%	No O% 1% 5% 99% 92% 5% 99% 92% 1% 1% 2% 1% 0% 2% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 0% 1% 0% 0% 1% 0% 9% 3% 5% 6% 3% 3% 4% 1% 3% 9% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 0% 1% 1% 3% 3% 1% 1% 2% 1% 1% 2% 1% 1% 2% </td <td>1%</td> <td>19</td>	1%	19	
	3 to 9 days	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	1% 1% 98% 92% % 1% % 0% 92% % 1% 4% % 0% 3% % 0% 3% % 0% 0% % 0% 0% % 0% 0% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 0% 2% % 3% 4% % 3% 4% % 3% 4% % 0% 1% % 0% 1% % 0% 1% % 0% 1% % 0% 3%	09		
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
	All 30 days						09	
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke	0 days or no tobacco use						86%	
cigarettes or use other tobacco products that were flavored to taste like mint or menthol?	1 to 2 days							
	u smoke flavored to taste 0 days 0% 0% 1% 1% 1% 0 days 0%	6%						
	10 to 19 days						29	
	20 to 29 days	0%	1%	2%			29	
	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	29	
	All 30 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	29	
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you use any tobacco product that was some other flavor, like candy, fruit, chocolate, lave action or clockelle driver?	0 days or no tobacco use	94%	91%	92%	88%	84%	82%	
clove, spice or alcoholic drinks?	1 to 2 days	3%	4%	3%	5%	5%	69	
	3 to 9 days	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	
	10 to 19 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	4%	
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	
	All 30 days	L						

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TABLE 33A ACCESS TO E-CIGARETTES*^

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1′	lth
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE W	VHO VAPED OR USED	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
E-CIGARETTES IN THE LA		%	%	%	%	%	%
When you vaped or used an e-cigarette during the last 30 days, how did you	I bought it at gas stations or convenience stores	5%	2%	4%	2%	16%	12%
get it? (Mark ALL that apply)	I bought it at grocery, discount or drug stores	2%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
	I bought it on the internet	12%	6%	9%	7%	8%	9%
	I bought it at vape shops or other stores that sell only e-cigarettes	5%	7%	8%	5%	13%	12%
	I got it from friends	78%	75%	71%	78%	62%	67%
	I got it from my parents	4%	7%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	I got it from other family members	12%	23%	12%	13%	5%	9%
	l got it from someone l didn't know	7%	3%	6%	6%	6%	3%
	I got it by getting someone else to buy it for me	18%	21%	18%	19%	20%	25%
	I took it from my home	6%	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%
	I took it from a friend's home	9%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	I took it from stores	5%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	I got it some other way	21%	15%	16%	17%	17%	11%

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TABLE 34 EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND SMOKE*

Northeast

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 7 days, on how many days were you in the same	0 days	71%	73%
room as someone who was smoking cigarettes?	1 or 2 days	17%	16%
	3 or 4 days	5%	5%
	5 or 6 days	2%	1%
	All 7 days	6%	5%
During the last 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car	0 days	80%	77%
with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	1 or 2 days	10%	12%
	3 or 4 days	4%	5%
	5 or 6 days	2%	2%
	All 7 days	5%	4%

* Only the 5th grade survey asked these questions.

TABLE 35 ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY*

Northeast

During the last 30 days, on how many days did you drink one or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage?	0 days 1 to 2 days 3 to 5 days	8 Male % 92% 5%	th Female % 88%	9 Male % 86%	th Female %	11 Male %	1th Female
days, on how many days did you drink one or more drinks of an alcoholic	1 to 2 days 3 to 5 days	% 92%	%	%			
days, on how many days did you drink one or more drinks of an alcoholic	1 to 2 days 3 to 5 days	92%			70	70	
days, on how many days did you drink one or more drinks of an alcoholic	1 to 2 days 3 to 5 days	-	88%	80%	0.00/	740/	%
one or more drinks of an alcoholic	3 to 5 days	5%			85%	74%	75%
	-		8%	8%	9%	14%	14%
0		1%	2%	2%	4%	7%	5%
	6 to 9 days	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	4%
	10 to 19 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
-	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
-	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
During the last 12 months, on how	0	83%	78%	75%	72%	61%	58%
many occasions (if any) have you had	1 to 2	10%	11%	13%	14%	13%	15%
alcoholic beverages to drink?	3 to 5	3%	5%	5%	6%	9%	12%
	6 to 9	2%	2%	3%	4%	6%	6%
-	10 to 19	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%	5%
-	20 to 39	0%	1%	1%	1%	4%	2%
-	40 or more	0%	1%	2%	0%	4%	2%
lf you drink beer/wine/wine	No alcohol use	86%	82%	77%	75%	62%	59%
coolers/liquor, generally how much	1 glass/can/drink	9%	10%	12%	14%	11%	16%
do you drink at one time?	2 glasses/cans/drinks	3%	4%	4%	4%	7%	8%
-	3 glasses/cans/drinks	1%	2%	3%	3%	5%	8%
-	4 glasses/cans/drinks	1%	1%	1%	2%	4%	4%
_	5 or more glasses/cans/drinks	1%	2%	2%	2%	11%	5%
Binge drinking (4 or more drinks in a row	0 days	98%	95%	95%	93%	87%	87%
(females) or 5 or more drinks in a row	1 day	1%	2%	2%	2%	5%	5%
(males) within a couple of hours)^	2 days	0%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	3 to 5 days	0%	1%	1%	2%	3%	4%
-	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
-	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
-	20 or more days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ Change in question wording from 2016

TABLE 36 ACCESS TO ALCOHOL*^

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE V	VHO USED ALCOHOL IN	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
THE LAST 30 DAYS		%	%	%	%	%	%
When you used alcohol during the last 30 days, how did you get it? (Mark	I bought alcohol at gas stations or convenience stores	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%
ALL that apply)	I bought alcohol at bars or restaurants	4%	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%
	I bought alcohol at stores	1%	1%	5%	0%	4%	3%
	I bought alcohol on the Internet	6%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%
	I got alcohol from friends	30%	41%	33%	52%	40%	51%
	l got alcohol from my parents	19%	30%	13%	18%	16%	27%
	l got alcohol from other family members	10%	18%	11%	15%	10%	15%
	I got alcohol by getting someone else to buy for me	9%	8%	9%	15%	19%	27%
	l got alcohol at parties	16%	15%	16%	20%	26%	25%
	I took alcohol from my home	37%	41%	28%	31%	21%	23%
	l took alcohol from a friend's home	11%	9%	2%	9%	6%	6%
	I took alcohol from stores	4%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	l got alcohol some other way	26%	19%	21%	19%	20%	15%

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TABLE 37 **USE OF MARIJUANA AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS***

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1'	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you	0 days	94%	93%	90%	89%	81%	84%
use marijuana or hashish? (Do NOT count medical	1 to 2 days	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	6%
marijuana prescribed for you by a doctor)	3 to 5 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%
	6 to 9 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	10 to 19 days	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	All 30 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	3%
During the last 12 months, on how many occasions (if	0	92%	90%	88%	85%	75%	77%
any) have you used marijuana or hashish? (Do	1 to 2	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%	6%
NOT count medical marijuana prescribed for	3 to 5	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%
you by a doctor)	6 to 9	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	10 to 19	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	3%
	20 to 39	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	40 or more	1%	1%	3%	3%	10%	6%
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you	0 days	96%	96%	96%	96%	96%	95%
use prescription drugs without a doctor's	1 to 2 days	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
prescription or differently than how a doctor told you	3 to 5 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
to use it?^	6 to 9 days	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ Change in question wording from 2016.

TABLE 38 PRESCRIPTION DRUG USE*

Northeast

During the last 12 mont				Gra	ade		
occasions (if any) have	you used any of the drugs without a doctor's	8	th	9	th	11th	
prescription or differen		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
told you to use it?	-	%	%	%	%	%	%
Stimulants such as Amphetamines	0	98%	99%	98%	99%	99%	98%
(bennies, speed, uppers) or diet pills	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
uppers) or ulet plits	3 to 5	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
ADHD or ADD drugs (Ritalin, Adderall, hyper pills)	0	97%	98%	95%	98%	96%	96%
	1 to 2	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20 or more	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Pain relievers such as OxyContin, Percocet,	0	96%	95%	96%	96%	97%	97%
Vicodin or others	1 to 2	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	3 to 5	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
Tranquilizers such as Valium, Xanax,	0	98%	99%	97%	98%	97%	97%
Klonopin, Ativan,	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
anxiety pills, sedatives or benzos (downers)	3 to 5	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%

TABLE 39 HALLUCINOGEN, ECSTASY, COCAINE AND HEROIN USE*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1 [.]	1th
During the last 12 mont	hs, on how many	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
occasions (if any) have	you used	%	%	%	%	%	%
used LSD (acid), PCP (wet sticks or	0	99%	99%	97%	98%	96%	97%
dipped joints), or other psychedelics	1 to 2	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
, (mushrooms, angel	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
dust)?	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used MDMA (E, X, ecstasy, Molly), GHB	0	99%	99%	99%	100%	98%	99%
(G, Liquid E, Liquid X, roofies) or Ketamine	1 to 2	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
(Special K)?	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used crack, coke or cocaine in any form?	0	99%	100%	98%	99%	98%	98%
	1 to 2	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used heroin (smack, junk, China White)?	0	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
jann, onna wintej:	1 to 2	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

TABLE 40 METHAMPHETAMINE, OVER-THE-COUNTER DRUG, SYNTHETIC DRUG AND INHALANT USE*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
During the last 12 months		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
occasions (if any) have yo used	ou	%	%	%	%	%	%
methamphetamine	•	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
(meth, glass, crank, crystal meth, ice)?	1 to 2	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
used over-the-counter drugs such as cough	0	97%	96%	96%	96%	96%	96%
syrup, cold medicine or	1 to 2	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
diet pills that you took only to get high?	3 to 5	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
used synthetic marijuana (K2, Gold) that	0	97%	97%	96%	97%	97%	97%
you took only to get	1 to 2	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
high?^	3 to 5	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	6 to 9	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
used any other synthetic drugs such as	0	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%
bath salts (lvory Wave,	1 to 2	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
White Lightning) that you took only to get	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
high?^	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
sniffed glue or huffed or inhaled the contents	0	97%	98%	98%	98%	98%	99%
of aerosol spray cans or	1 to 2	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
other gases to get high?	3 to 5	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ Change from 2016 from one question to two.

TABLE 41 PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM SUBSTANCE USE*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1 [.]	lth
How much do you think p		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
themselves physically or		%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	No risk	11%	7%	11%	9%	13%	8%
auy :	Slight risk	9%	8%	9%	10%	7%	9%
	Moderate risk	20%	23%	21%	21%	21%	19%
	Great risk	59%	63%	59%	61%	59%	64%
have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice per week?	No risk	13%	7%	12%	7%	18%	8%
	Slight risk	20%	16%	20%	18%	21%	16%
	Moderate risk	34%	38%	35%	37%	32%	35%
	Great risk	33%	38%	32%	38%	29%	41%
use marijuana once or twice per week?	No risk	23%	17%	26%	22%	42%	31%
	Slight risk	23%	20%	27%	25%	26%	27%
	Moderate risk	25%	28%	22%	28%	15%	21%
	Great risk	29%	35%	25%	24%	17%	21%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for them?	No risk	12%	7%	11%	7%	11%	7%
	Slight risk	8%	8%	8%	10%	10%	10%
	Moderate risk	28%	30%	28%	28%	28%	26%
	Great risk	52%	56%	53%	55%	51%	57%
vape or use e- cigarettes?^	No risk	17%	11%	19%	13%	22%	15%
	Slight risk	27%	25%	29%	29%	36%	27%
	Moderate risk	28%	32%	27%	31%	24%	32%
	Great risk	28%	32%	25%	27%	18%	26%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 42A PERCEPTIONS OF PARENTS' DISAPPROVAL OF SUBSTANCE USE*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke	Not at all wrong	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%	2%
cigarettes?	A little bit wrong	2%	2%	3%	3%	5%	5%
	Wrong	11%	11%	12%	12%	18%	14%
	Very wrong	83%	85%	81%	83%	72%	78%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to have one	Not at all wrong	5%	3%	5%	2%	6%	2%
or more drinks of alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	A little bit wrong	4%	4%	6%	5%	10%	7%
	Wrong	13%	12%	15%	15%	19%	15%
	Very wrong	78%	82%	75%	79%	64%	76%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to use	Not at all wrong	6%	4%	7%	5%	9%	8%
marijuana?	A little bit wrong	4%	6%	8%	8%	11%	10%
	Wrong	11%	8%	13%	12%	17%	13%
	Very wrong	78%	82%	73%	76%	62%	69%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to use	Not at all wrong	4%	2%	4%	2%	4%	2%
prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	A little bit wrong	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Wrong	7%	7%	9%	9%	12%	8%
	Very wrong	87%	89%	86%	88%	83%	88%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to vape or	Not at all wrong	5%	4%	5%	2%	8%	5%
use e-cigarettes?^	A little bit wrong	6%	6%	8%	8%	13%	11%
	Wrong	16%	15%	18%	20%	19%	18%
	Very wrong	73%	75%	69%	70%	59%	66%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 42B PERCEPTIONS OF FRIENDS' DISAPPROVAL OF SUBSTANCE USE*

Northeast

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to smoke	U U	9%	6%	10%	8%	16%	11%
cigarettes?	A little bit wrong	9%	11%	14%	13%	20%	17%
	Wrong	29%	23%	26%	26%	26%	25%
	Very wrong	53%	60%	50%	52%	38%	47%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to have one or more drinks of alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Not at all wrong	11%	7%	13%	9%	20%	13%
	A little bit wrong	10%	10%	16%	15%	21%	19%
	Wrong	28%	23%	29%	27%	28%	26%
	Very wrong	51%	59%	42%	48%	31%	43%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to use	Not at all wrong	15%	12%	20%	18%	36%	30%
marijuana?	A little bit wrong	12%	12%	17%	15%	18%	16%
	Wrong	23%	16%	22%	21%	21%	20%
	Very wrong	50%	60%	41%	46%	24%	34%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to use	Not at all wrong	8%	4%	8%	6%	11%	7%
prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	A little bit wrong	6%	7%	10%	10%	12%	9%
	Wrong	25%	20%	25%	24%	28%	24%
	Very wrong	61%	70%	57%	61%	49%	61%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to vape or use	Not at all wrong	19%	19%	27%	23%	41%	35%
e-cigarettes? [*]	A little bit wrong	17%	17%	21%	22%	20%	22%
	Wrong	22%	20%	20%	21%	15%	18%
	Very wrong	42%	44%	32%	34%	23%	25%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 43PERCEPTIONS ABOUT ALCOHOL USE*

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about the following statement?	Strongly agree	59%	59%	54%	55%	49%	50%
Parents and other adults should clearly	Agree	27%	27%	30%	31%	31%	32%
communicate with their children about the importance of not using alcohol.	Neither agree nor disagree	9%	11%	11%	11%	15%	14%
	Disagree	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Strongly disagree	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
How do you feel about the following statement?	Strongly agree	63%	61%	52%	52%	42%	42%
Drinking alcohol is never a good thing for anyone my	Agree	21%	21%	23%	26%	24%	28%
age to do.	Neither agree nor disagree	9%	12%	17%	16%	22%	21%
	Disagree	3%	3%	4%	3%	7%	7%
	Strongly disagree	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%
In your opinion, how do you think MOST	Strongly agree	33%	19%	28%	17%	22%	14%
STUDENTS in your school feel about the following statement? Parents and	Agree	42%	43%	38%	38%	37%	35%
other adults should clearly communicate with their	Neither agree nor disagree	20%	29%	24%	32%	29%	35%
children about the importance of not using	Disagree	3%	6%	6%	10%	8%	12%
alcohol.	Strongly disagree	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%
In your opinion, how do you think MOST	Strongly agree	35%	20%	26%	14%	19%	10%
STUDENTS in your school feel about the following	Agree	35%	38%	32%	29%	29%	23%
statement? Drinking alcohol is never a good	Neither agree nor disagree	21%	28%	26%	36%	32%	37%
thing for anyone my age to do.	Disagree	5%	10%	10%	16%	14%	23%
	Strongly disagree	4%	3%	6%	5%	7%	8%

TABLE 44 USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL, MARIJUANA AND E-CIGARETTES*

Northeast

					ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How often do you use each		%	%	%	%	%	%
Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)	Never	91%	93%	89%	89%	79%	85%
	Tried once or twice	6%	4%	5%	5%	7%	6%
	Once or twice a year	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Once a month	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%
	Twice a month	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Once a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	1%	5%	2%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	77%	75%	72%	71%	58%	54%
	Tried once or twice	13%	14%	13%	14%	12%	16%
	Once or twice a year	6%	6%	6%	7%	12%	12%
	Once a month	2%	3%	4%	4%	8%	10%
	Twice a month	2%	2%	2%	2%	6%	6%
	Once a week	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	90%	89%	85%	83%	71%	71%
	Tried once or twice	5%	5%	5%	5%	7%	9%
	Once or twice a year	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	5%
	Once a month	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Twice a month	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%
	Once a week	1%	1%	3%	2%	5%	3%
	Daily	0%	1%	3%	2%	7%	5%
Vaping device or e- cigarette^	Never	78%	74%	72%	70%	60%	57%
	Tried once or twice	9%	11%	12%	13%	11%	15%
	Once or twice a year	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	4%
	Once a month	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%
	Twice a month	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Once a week	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%	6%
	Daily	3%	3%	6%	6%	13%	12%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 45 PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS' USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL, MARIJUANA AND E-CIGARETTES*

Northeast

					ade		
			th		th		lth
In your opinion, how often (STUDENTS in your school (Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)							
,		47%	29%	32%	17%	22%	13%
	Tried once or twice	25%	28%	22%	25%	19%	16%
	Once or twice a year	6%	10%	7%	8%	6%	7%
	Once a month	6%	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%
	Twice a month	3%	5%	6%	7%	7%	10%
	Once a week	6%	8%	12%	14%	15%	16%
	Daily	6%	10%	13%	19%	22%	28%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	35%	17%	22%	9%	17%	7%
	Tried once or twice	29%	26%	17%	14%	11%	9%
	Once or twice a year	8%	13%	10%	8%	9%	4%
	Once a month	9%	13%	13%	14%	13%	12%
	Twice a month	7%	10%	11%	15%	12%	18%
	Once a week	9%	13%	16%	24%	26%	32%
	Daily	5%	7%	10%	15%	13%	18%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	46%	28%	26%	12%	18%	9%
	Tried once or twice	20%	23%	16%	16%	15%	11%
	Once or twice a year	7%	7%	7%	7%	4%	5%
	Once a month	6%	8%	10%	10%	10%	7%
	Twice a month	4%	7%	9%	11%	9%	11%
	Once a week	8%	13%	16%	19%	19%	22%
	Daily	9%	13%	16%	25%	24%	34%
Vaping device or e- cigarette^	Never	26%	11%	17%	7%	14%	7%
-	Tried once or twice	21%	15%	12%	9%	10%	6%
	Once or twice a year	5%	5%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Once a month	6%	8%	4%	5%	5%	3%
	Twice a month	5%	7%	6%	4%	5%	4%
	Once a week	11%	16%	15%	14%	11%	14%
	Daily	25%	38%	42%	59%	54%	64%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 46A CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE*

Northeast

				-	ade		
			th .		th .		1th
During the last 12 months		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
have you found that you had to use a lot more	Did not use past 12 months	75%	72%	71%	65%	55%	53%
alcohol or drugs than before to get the same effect?	Yes	3%	4%	4%	5%	8%	7%
	No	22%	24%	25%	30%	37%	40%
have you tried to cut down on your use of	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
alcohol or drugs but couldn't?	Yes	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%
	No	22%	25%	27%	32%	43%	43%
have you continued to use alcohol or drugs even though you knew it was hurting your relationships with friends or family?	Did not use past 12 months	76%	72%	71%	65%	55%	53%
	Yes	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%	6%
	Νο	22%	24%	25%	31%	41%	41%
were there any times when you felt such a strong desire or urge to	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
drink alcohol or to use a drug that you couldn't	Yes	3%	5%	4%	9%	5%	9%
resist or could not think of anything else?	Νο	22%	22%	25%	26%	40%	38%
how many times have you spent all or most of	Did not use past 12 months	76%	72%	71%	65%	55%	53%
the day using alcohol or drugs, or getting over their effects?	0 times	21%	22%	22%	28%	36%	38%
	1 time	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	2 times	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%	4%
how many times have you given up important social or recreational	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
activities like sports or being with friends or	0 times	23%	25%	26%	32%	41%	43%
relatives to use alcohol or drugs or to get over their effects?	1 time	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	2 times	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
how many times have you missed work or school, or neglected other	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
major responsibilities because of alcohol or drug	0 times	23%	26%	26%	33%	42%	43%
use?	1 time	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	2 times	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%

TABLE 46B **CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE***

Northeast

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 12 months,	-	%	%	%	%	%	%
how many times have you driven a motor vehicle	Did not use past 12 months			71%	65%	55%	53%
after using alcohol or drugs?**	0 times			26%	33%	35%	40%
	1 time			1%	1%	3%	2%
	2 times			1%	1%	1%	2%
	3 or more times			1%	0%	5%	3%
how many times have you hit someone or	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
become violent while using alcohol or drugs?	0 times	23%	27%	27%	34%	42%	46%
	1 time	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
how many times have you used so much alcohol	Did not use past 12 months	76%	72%	71%	65%	55%	53%
or drugs that the next day you could not remember	0 times	21%	23%	23%	28%	35%	37%
what you had said or done?	1 time	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	6%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%
how many times have you used more alcohol or	Did not use past 12 months	76%	72%	71%	65%	55%	53%
drugs than you intended to?	0 times	21%	23%	23%	29%	37%	38%
	1 time	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	6%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	3 or more times	1%	0%	2%	2%	3%	2%
how many times has alcohol or drug use left	Did not use past 12 months	76%	73%	71%	65%	55%	53%
you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or	0 times	22%	22%	24%	28%	39%	36%
unable to concentrate?	1 time	1%	3%	2%	4%	2%	5%
	2 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 47A **SEXUAL BEHAVIOR***

Northeast

			Gra	ade	
		9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%
Have you ever had sexual intercourse ('had sex')?	Yes	20%	15%	45%	45%
	No	80%	85%	55%	55%
During the last 12 months, with how many different	None	83%	86%	59%	56%
people have you had sexual intercourse? [^]	1 person	10%	9%	24%	27%
	2 persons	3%	3%	7%	9%
	3 persons	1%	1%	5%	4%
	4 persons	0%	0%	1%	2%
	5 persons	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6 or more persons	2%	1%	3%	1%

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2019.

TABLE 47B **SEXUAL BEHAVIOR***

Northeast

			Gra	ade	
		9	th	11	lth
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE W	HO HAVE EVER HAD	Male	Female	Male	Female
SEXUAL INTERCOURSE		%	%	%	%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about protecting		30%	26%	23%	17%
yourselves from getting sexually transmitted infections/HIV/AIDS?	Not with every partner	15%	12%	14%	14%
	At least once with every partner	55%	62%	63%	69%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about	Never	25%	18%	19%	12%
preventing pregnancy?	Not with every partner	12%	12%	9%	10%
	At least once with every partner	63%	70%	72%	79%
The LAST time you had sexual intercourse, what	No method was used to prevent pregnancy	7%	7%	7%	5%
method or methods did you or your partner use to	Birth control pills	44%	47%	44%	46%
prevent pregnancy? (Mark ALL that apply)^	Condoms	71%	62%	64%	51%
	Depo-Provera shot (or any birth control shot), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring), Implanon (or any implant) or any IUD	4%	10%	12%	22%
	Withdrawal (pull-out)	40%	34%	44%	41%
	Some other method	7%	5%	4%	4%
	Not sure	6%	5%	2%	1%
The LAST time you had sexual intercourse, did	Yes	68%	63%	66%	53%
you or your partner use a condom?	No	32%	37%	34%	47%
Did you drink alcohol or use drugs before you had	Yes	15%	18%	14%	13%
sexual intercourse the LAST time?	Νο	85%	82%	86%	87%

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions. ^ Change in question from 2016 from "Mark only one" to "Mark ALL that apply".