

2022 Minnesota Student Survey Statewide Tables

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In Appreciation

The Minnesota Student Survey (MSS) Interagency Team is indebted to the students, parents, teachers, district assessment coordinators, school and district administrators, principals, and superintendents across the state that agreed to participate in and supported the MSS when it was administered in the first half of 2022. These data are made available as a result of their interest and time, and we are grateful for their efforts.

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Survey Participation

The 2022 Minnesota Student Survey (MSS) was administered in the first half of 2022 to students in grades five, eight, nine, and eleven statewide. The survey was voluntary at all levels; districts, schools, parents, and students could all choose to opt out. Most public school districts (70%) chose to participate. Across the state, approximately 56% of fifth graders, 56% of eighth graders, 51% of ninth graders, and 41% of eleventh graders participated in the 2022 MSS. Overall participation across the four grades was approximately 51% of total enrollment.

Results from regular public schools, 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 2022, 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 the order that they appeared on the survey.

The table of contents is provided on pages v-vi. The grade five survey version was shorter than the grade eight survey version, which in turn was shorter than the grade nine and eleven version. The grade five and grade eight 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.

Gender Breakdowns in Reports

This report comes in two formats: by grade and grade-and-gender. Fifth grade surveys asked "are you a boy or girl" while all other grades were asked about their sex assigned at birth (as on original birth certificate). The grade-and-gender breakdowns are available when counts for sex assigned at birth are at least 25 male and 25 female respondents in each grade level cell.

New Questions and Year-to-Year Comparisons

While most MSS survey questions stayed the same as previous administrations, 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 3% of cases were removed from the 2022 survey data.

Online Access to MSS Data

Data from the 2022 MSS are available on the Minnesota Department of Education's <u>Data Reports and Analytics</u>, <u>MSS Report's page</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** Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	91	th	11	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total number of su	rveys	3,628	100%	3,728	100%	2,876	100%	2,028	100%
What is your biological sex?^	Male	1,824	50%	1,946	52%	1,449	50%	1,002	49%
J. J	Female	1,788	49%	1,773	48%	1,425	50%	1,022	50%
	No answer	16	0%	9	0%	2	0%	4	0%
Age^^	10 years old	1,532	42%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	11 years old	2,022	56%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	12 years old	61	2%	5	0%	0	0%	0	0%
	13 years old	1	0%	1,583	42%	12	0%	0	0%
	14 years old	0	0%	2,068	55%	1,286	45%	0	0%
	15 years old	0	0%	63	2%	1,517	53%	7	0%
	16 years old	0	0%	3	0%	52	2%	921	45%
	17 years old	0	0%	0	0%	5	0%	1,023	50%
	18 years old	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	67	3%
	19-20 years old	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	6	0%
American Indian or	Alaskan Native only	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Asian or Asian Am	erican only	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Black, African or A	frican American only	3,628	100%	3,728	100%	2,876	100%	2,028	100%
Hispanic or Latino/	a only	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Middle Eastern / No	orth African only^^^	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Native Hawaiian or Islander only	Other Pacific	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
White only		0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Multiple Races (cho	ecked more than one)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

^ 5th grade surveys asked "Are you male or female?" ^^ Students who selected "9 years old or younger" or "21 years old or older" were excluded from this report. ^^^ New response option in 2022.

TABLE 1B DEMOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION Black, African or African American only

		Grade									
		5	th	8	th	9	th		th		
16 A	Anishinasha/	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
If you are American Indian or Alaskan Native, which	Anishinaabe/ Ojibwe	0	0%	2	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
group best describes you? (Mark ALL that	Dakota/Lakota	0	0%	3	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
(Mark ALL that apply)	Other tribal affiliation	1	0%	2	0%	1	0%	0	0%		
If you are Asian or Asian American,	Bangladeshi^	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
which group best describes you?	Burmese	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
(Mark ALL that apply)	Chinese	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Filipino	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Hmong	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Indian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Karen	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Korean	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Lao	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Nepali^	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Pakistani^	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Vietnamese	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Other Asian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
lf you are Black, African or African	African American	1,790	49%	1,690	45%	1,251	43%	792	39%		
American, which group best	Ethiopian – Oromo	201	6%	224	6%	151	5%	109	5%		
describes you? (Mark ALL that	Ethiopian – other	222	6%	219	6%	176	6%	119	6%		
àpply)	Liberian	121	3%	248	7%	214	7%	158	8%		
	Nigerian	158	4%	199	5%	141	5%	118	6%		
	Somali	943	26%	970	26%	776	27%	598	29%		
	Other Black, African or African American	776	21%	753	20%	573	20%	409	20%		
If you are Hispanic or Latino/Latina,	Colombian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
which group best describes you?	Ecuadoran	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
(Mark ALL that apply)	Guatemalan	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
~[1,44~	Mexican	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Puerto Rican	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Salvadoran	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Spanish/Spanish- American	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Other Hispanic or Latino/Latina	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
If you are Middle Eastern of North	Egyptian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
African, which group best	Iranian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
describes you? (Mark ALL that	Iraqi	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
(Mark ALL that apply)^^	Lebanese	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Palestinian	0	0%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%		
	Other Middle Eastern or North African	2	0%	3	0%	0	0%	0	0%		

^ New response option in 2022. ^^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 2 GENDER EXPRESSION; SEXUAL ORIENTATION; GENDER IDENTITY* Black, African or African American only

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		0	1 h		ade th		4 h						
		Male	th Female	Male	tn Female	Male	th Female						
		wiate %	remaie %	wiale %	remaie %	wiate %	%						
appearance, style,	Very or mostly feminine	4%	47%	3%	44%	2%	47%						
they walk or talk	Somewhat feminine	5%	30%	3%	33%	2%	34%						
may affect how people describe them. How do you	Equally feminine and masculine	11%	20%	10%	20%	8%	16%						
	Somewhat masculine	19%	2%	22%	3%	21%	2%						
describe you?	Very or mostly masculine	61%	1%	62%	1%	66%	1%						
	Straight (heterosexual)^^	91%	72%	90%	72%	90%	71%						
sexual orientation?^	Asexual ^{^^^}	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%						
	Bisexual	1%	11%	2%	11%	2%	11%						
-	Gay or Lesbian	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%						
	Questioning/Not sure	1%	4%	1%	4%	1%	4%						
	Pansexual	1%	4%	1%	4%	1%	4%						
	Queer	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	2%						
	I don't describe myself in any of these ways	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%						
	I am not sure what this question means	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%						
What is your	Agender	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%						
àpply)^^^^	Boy/man (cisgender, which means your gender identity matches your sex assigned at birth)	95%	1%	96%	1%	95%							
	Boy/man (transgender, which means your gender identity does not match your sex assigned at birth)	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%						
	Genderfluid, gender non- conforming, or genderqueer	0%	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%						
	Girl/woman (cisgender, which means your gender identity matches your sex assigned at birth)	0%	91%	0%	93%	0%	92%						
	Girl/woman (transgender, which means your gender identity does not match your sex assigned at birth)	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%						
	Nonbinary	0%	3%	1%	2%	0%	2%						
	Two spirit	1%	3% 0%	0%	2%	1%	2%						
	• " · · ·		0.0	0.0	0,0		0.10						
	Questioning/ unsure	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%						

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
 ^ Change in question wording from 2019.
 ^ Change in response option wording from 2019.
 ^ New response option in 2022.
 ^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 3 SCHOOL PLANS; ACADEMIC ADVISING; IEP; ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE Black, African or African American only

		Grade								
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth	
	-	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
What is the MAIN thing	I don't plan to graduate	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
you plan to do RIGHT AFTER high school?*	from high school			2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
AI TEK IIIgil School:	Get my GED			3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	
	Go to a two-year community or technical college			7%	6%	8%	8%	16%	15%	
	Go to a four-year college or university			56%	67%	59%	70%	59%	72%	
	Get a license or certificate in a career field			6%	7%	5%	5%	5%	3%	
	Attend an apprenticeship program			0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
	Join the military			3%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	
	Work at a job			10%	8%	10%	6%	6%	3%	
	Other			14%	7%	13%	7%	8%	4%	
Has an adult in your school helped you think about education options	Yes					63%	62%	73%	75%	
for after high school (college or other training program)?**	No					37%	38%	27%	25%	
Has an adult in your school helped you find career-focused field experiences (job	Yes					43%	41%	54%	51%	
shadowing, work-based learning, service learning, career camps, apprenticeships)?**	Νο					57%	59%	46%	49%	
Do you receive special education services as	Yes	12%	8%	11%	7%	10%	7%	11%	8%	
part of an IEP (individual education plan)?	No	57%	61%	68%	71%	71%	75%	73%	80%	
	Not sure	31%	31%	22%	22%	18%	19%	15%	12%	
How would you describe your grades this school	Mostly A's	27%	31%	32%	43%	29%	41%	23%	39%	
year?	Mostly B's	38%	33%	41%	33%	37%	31%	41%	34%	
	Mostly C's	13%	11%	17%	15%	22%	17%	24%	16%	
	Mostly D's	2%	2%	4%	3%	5%	5%	7%	6%	
	Mostly F's	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	
	Mostly Incompletes	1%	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	
	None of these letter grades	19%	21%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	

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

TABLE 4 **TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM SCHOOL*^** Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		5	th	8	th				
		Male	Female	Male	Female				
		%	%	%	%				
On a typical school day, how do you travel to school? (Mark ALL that	Walk	8%	7%	10%	7%				
apply)	Bike	4%	2%	4%	2%				
	School bus	63%	62%	65%	66%				
	Family vehicle (riding with others from your family)	47%	48%	48%	50%				
	Carpools (riding with children from other families)	2%	3%	3%	3%				
	Transit (city bus, light rail, etc.)	1%	1%	1%	1%				
	Other (skateboard, scooter, inline skates, etc)	1%	1%	2%	1%				
On a typical school day, how do you travel home from school? (Mark ALL	Walk	9%	8%	12%	9%				
that apply)	Bike	4%	2%	5%	2%				
	School bus	64%	64%	67%	68%				
	Family vehicle (riding with others from your family)	42%	42%	41%	44%				
	Carpools (riding with children from other families)	3%	3%	3%	4%				
	Transit (city bus, light rail, etc.)	1%	1%	1%	1%				
	Other (skateboard, scooter, inline skates, etc)	1%	1%	2%	0%				

* 9th and 11th grade surveys did not ask these questions. ^ Both questions in this table were new in 2022.

TABLE 5 SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Black, African or African American only

		Grade								
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
During the last 30 days, how many times did you miss	None	36%	35%	41%	34%	41%	36%	42%	37%	
a full day of school? (Do not	Once or twice	32%	35%	34%	36%	34%	36%	34%	33%	
include school- sponsored	3 to 5 times	18%	18%	16%	18%	16%	17%	15%	19%	
activities like field trips, sports, academic or music	6 to 9 times	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	
events)	10 or more times	8%	6%	4%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%	
During the last 30 days, how many times did you miss	None	42%	41%	43%	37%	42%	39%	39%	34%	
part of a day of school such as coming late,	Once or twice	36%	41%	38%	41%	35%	37%	32%	36%	
leaving early or missing class time	3 to 5 times	14%	12%	12%	14%	14%	14%	15%	16%	
during the day? (Do not include school-sponsored	6 to 9 times	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	5%	6%	6%	
activities)	10 or more times	6%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%	7%	7%	
AMONG THOSE	Felt sick^	50%	53%	47%	52%	51%	54%	52%	55%	
WHO MISSED PART OF OR A FULL DAY OF	Had or exposed to COVID-19^^	26%	25%	18%	19%	21%	20%	22%	20%	
SCHOOL: What are the reasons you missed a full or part of a day of school in the last	Medical, dental or other health-related appointment	24%	31%	27%	36%	27%	35%	24%	39%	
30 days? (Mark	Vacation or trip	15%	13%	11%	10%	9%	8%	8%	8%	
ALL that apply)	Felt very sad, hopeless, anxious, stressed or angry	5%	8%	4%	13%	7%	16%	9%	25%	
	Didn't get enough sleep	12%	16%	16%	20%	19%	21%	21%	24%	
	Didn't feel safe at school	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	5%	
	Missed your ride or didn't have a way to get to school	13%	17%	17%	19%	17%	19%	16%	17%	
	Had to work (for pay or to help with a family business or chores	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	
	Had to take care of or help a family member, sibling or friend	7%	7%	5%	6%	5%	8%	7%	8%	
	Behind in schoolwork or not prepared for a test or class assignment	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	9%	8%	18%	
	Bored with or not interested in school	3%	3%	6%	9%	9%	10%	10%	13%	
	Suspended from school	4%	1%	7%	5%	3%	2%	2%	2%	
	Other reason	23%	23%	17%	20%	19%	19%	18%	18%	

[^] Change in response option wording from 2019. [^] New response option in 2022.

TABLE 6 DISCIPLINE; FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL

Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 30 days, how many	None	63%	78%	71%	85%	87%	95%	94%	97%
times did you get sent out of the	Once or twice	24%	15%	20%	9%	10%	5%	5%	2%
classroom for discipline?	3 to 5 times	8%	5%	6%	3%	2%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9 times	2%	1%	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%
How often do you care about doing	All of the time	46%	56%	38%	45%	41%	49%	44%	53%
well in school?	Most of the time	35%	32%	42%	39%	43%	38%	39%	35%
	Some of the time	16%	12%	18%	14%	14%	12%	15%	11%
	None of the time	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
How often do you go to class	All of the time	6%	5%	6%	4%	5%	2%	5%	3%
unprepared?	Most of the time	13%	11%	12%	9%	10%	7%	10%	7%
	Some of the time	48%	45%	50%	49%	55%	50%	50%	48%
	None of the time	33%	40%	31%	38%	31%	41%	35%	41%
How often do you pay attention in	All of the time	23%	30%	20%	21%	21%	20%	21%	23%
class?	Most of the time	58%	54%	60%	59%	59%	62%	57%	61%
	Some of the time	18%	15%	19%	19%	19%	17%	21%	15%
	None of the time	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

TABLE 7 FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
			ith	-	th		th		lth
How much do you a with each of the foll		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
If something	Strongly agree								
interests me, I try to learn more		37%	33%	40%	36%	44%	41%	51%	50%
about it.	Agree	56%	60%	56%	60%	53%	57%	47%	48%
	Disagree	6%	6%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	Strongly disagree	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
I think things I learn at school are	Strongly agree	30%	31%	14%	13%	12%	9%	9%	10%
useful.	Agree	54%	56%	56%	62%	55%	61%	55%	58%
	Disagree	11%	9%	23%	21%	25%	26%	28%	28%
	Strongly disagree	5%	3%	6%	4%	8%	4%	8%	4%
Being a student is one of the most	Strongly agree	25%	24%	15%	14%	13%	13%	15%	17%
important parts of who I am.	Agree	44%	49%	44%	44%	47%	43%	42%	47%
	Disagree	23%	21%	30%	34%	31%	34%	34%	28%
	Strongly disagree	8%	6%	11%	9%	8%	9%	9%	8%
Overall, adults at my school treat	Strongly agree	33%	31%	17%	10%	18%	10%	20%	10%
students fairly.	Agree	45%	47%	52%	53%	59%	59%	62%	60%
	Disagree	16%	17%	22%	28%	18%	25%	14%	23%
	Strongly disagree	6%	5%	9%	10%	5%	6%	5%	7%
Adults at my school listen to the	Strongly agree	29%	26%	14%	9%	13%	8%	13%	8%
students.	Agree	52%	55%	55%	53%	63%	60%	63%	57%
	Disagree	14%	15%	24%	31%	20%	28%	20%	29%
	Strongly disagree	5%	4%	6%	7%	4%	5%	4%	5%
The school rules are fair.	Strongly agree	26%	27%	11%	8%	11%	7%	14%	9%
	Agree	48%	53%	52%	50%	62%	62%	61%	56%
	Disagree	19%	17%	28%	33%	22%	26%	20%	29%
	Strongly disagree	7%	3%	9%	9%	6%	5%	6%	6%
At my school, teachers care	Strongly agree	50%	50%	22%	15%	19%	12%	20%	13%
about students.	Agree	43%	44%	62%	65%	66%	69%	64%	70%
	Disagree	4%	5%	11%	16%	11%	17%	13%	14%
	Strongly disagree	3%	2%	5%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Most teachers at	Strongly agree	24%	26%	14%	9%	11%	7%	14%	8%
my school are interested in me as	Agree	51%	53%	51%	53%	55%	50%	49%	50%
a person.	Disagree	18%	16%	26%	30%	28%	36%	29%	34%
	Strongly disagree	7%	4%	9%	8%	6%	7%	9%	9%
		1 70	470	970	070	070	1 70	970	970

TABLE 8APRESENCE OF A SCHOOL RESOURCE/POLICE OFFICER*Black, African or African American only

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th		lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
Is there a police officer or School	Yes	62%	63%	68%	69%	77%	72%
Resource Officer (SRO) at your	Νο	14%	13%	6%	6%	6%	6%
school?	l don't know	23%	24%	26%	25%	17%	22%
IF POLICE OFFICER OR SRO	Strongly agree	25%	25%	19%	18%	18%	20%
AT SCHOOL: If I knew about something unsafe	Agree	43%	47%	44%	51%	46%	45%
or illegal at my school, I would tell the SRO or police officer.	Disagree	23%	22%	26%	24%	24%	25%
	Strongly disagree	9%	6%	11%	7%	12%	9%
IF POLICE OFFICER OR SRO AT SCHOOL: I	Strongly agree	17%	14%	15%	11%	14%	11%
would feel comfortable going to my school's	Agree	43%	37%	43%	36%	47%	38%
police officer or SRO if I was having	Disagree	28%	36%	29%	38%	27%	35%
problems or needed help.	Strongly disagree	11%	13%	14%	14%	11%	16%
IF POLICE OFFICER OR SRO	Strongly agree	41%	37%	38%	33%	37%	31%
AT SCHOOL: I think it is a good	Agree	49%	53%	53%	57%	55%	51%
idea to have an SRO or police	Disagree	7%	7%	7%	7%	6%	12%
officer at our school.	Strongly disagree	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	6%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 8BCOMFORT GOING TO POLICE OFFICER*^Black, African or African American only

		Grade						
		5th 8th						
		Male	Female	Male	Female			
		%	%	%	%			
I would feel comfortable going	Strongly agree	28%	29%	17%	14%			
to the police if I was having	Agree	36%	38%	43%	36%			
problems or needed help.	Disagree	19%	22%	28%	34%			
	Strongly disagree	16%	12%	12%	17%			

* 9th and 11th grade surveys did not ask this question.

^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 9 PERCEPTIONS OF SAFETY

Black, African or African American only

		Grade								
How much do you	agree or disagree	5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth	
with each of the for	llowing	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
statements?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
I feel safe going to and from school.	Strongly agree	45%	42%	41%	28%	34%	25%	40%	27%	
	Agree	46%	49%	53%	63%	57%	65%	54%	64%	
	Disagree	7%	7%	4%	7%	6%	9%	4%	8%	
	Strongly disagree	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	
l feel safe at school.	Strongly agree	40%	37%	30%	19%	28%	14%	30%	16%	
	Agree	48%	50%	57%	64%	59%	65%	60%	63%	
	Disagree	9%	10%	11%	15%	10%	19%	7%	19%	
	Strongly disagree	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	
l feel safe in my neighborhood.	Strongly agree	48%	42%	48%	37%	46%	33%	44%	33%	
-	Agree	39%	46%	46%	57%	50%	61%	50%	61%	
	Disagree	9%	10%	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%	5%	
	Strongly disagree	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
l feel safe at home.	Strongly agree	72%	70%	67%	58%	64%	54%	64%	55%	
-	Agree	24%	27%	31%	38%	34%	42%	34%	42%	
	Disagree	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	4%	2%	3%	
	Strongly disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	

TABLE 10A AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION Black, African or African American only

During a typical work how often			4	Grade 8th 9th				11th	
During a typical week, how often do you go to the following		Male	th Female	8 Male	th Female	9 Male	th Female	1 [.] Male	Female
places after school?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I stay at my school or go to another	0 days	78%	80%	74%	71%	52%	52%	54%	50%
school	1 day	5%	6%	4%	7%	8%	9%	8%	11%
	2 days	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	7%	6%	9%
	3 to 4 days	3%	3%	5%	5%	8%	8%	6%	7%
	5 days	10%	8%	13%	12%	26%	23%	25%	23%
My home or another home such as a	0 days	34%	27%	28%	25%	19%	18%	21%	17%
friend's, relative's or neighbor's	1 day	17%	19%	14%	13%	12%	10%	10%	9%
	2 days	12%	12%	11%	10%	11%	10%	11%	9%
	3 to 4 days	7%	8%	6%	7%	9%	9%	8%	11%
	5 days	31%	34%	41%	45%	49%	53%	50%	55%
A rec, community or other youth center	0 days	78%	84%	73%	85%	69%	85%	71%	87%
	1 day	8%	7%	9%	6%	10%	7%	10%	6%
	2 days	7%	4%	8%	4%	10%	4%	8%	4%
	3 to 4 days	4%	3%	6%	3%	7%	2%	6%	2%
	5 days	4%	2%	4%	1%	5%	1%	5%	1%
A park or other outdoor space	0 days	39%	39%	44%	56%	51%	62%	60%	66%
	1 day	21%	22%	16%	17%	15%	15%	13%	16%
	2 days	15%	19%	18%	16%	18%	16%	15%	12%
	3 to 4 days	14%	12%	14%	8%	10%	5%	8%	4%
	5 days	12%	8%	8%	3%	5%	2%	3%	1%
A library	0 days	65%	61%	78%	76%	81%	72%	79%	67%
	1 day	19%	20%	12%	13%	11%	15%	11%	16%
	2 days	8%	10%	6%	7%	6%	9%	6%	10%
	3 to 4 days	5%	6%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%
	5 days	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
A church, synagogue, mosque, or other spiritual/religious place	0 days	54%	54%	58%	60%	58%	62%	58%	64%
spinituainengious piace	1 day	22%	20%	22%	20%	22%	20%	24%	18%
	2 days	11%	13%	11%	12%	12%	12%	9%	12%
	3 to 4 days	7%	7%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	5 days	6%	6%	5%	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%

TABLE 10B AFTER SCHOOL SUPERVISION*

Black, African or African American only

			Gra	ade		
		5th 8th				
		Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	
During a typical week, how often are you home alone or somewhere	0 days	57%	58%	55%	51%	
unsupervised after school?	1 day	20%	19%	20%	18%	
	2 days	9%	9%	10%	13%	
	3 days	6%	5%	7%	8%	
	4 days	2%	2%	2%	3%	
	5 days	6%	6%	6%	7%	

*9th and 11th grade surveys did not ask this question.

TABLE 11A **BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS** Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
During the last 30 days,	how often have	5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
other students harasse	d or bullied you for any	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the following reasons	s?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Your race, ethnicity or national origin	Never	72%	70%	70%	66%	77%	72%	80%	77%
national origin	Once or twice	17%	22%	16%	21%	11%	19%	12%	17%
	About once a week	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	Several times a week	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	Every day	3%	2%	6%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%
Your religion	Never	81%	78%	85%	83%	89%	86%	90%	89%
	Once or twice	11%	15%	8%	11%	6%	10%	4%	9%
	About once a week	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
	Several times a week	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Every day	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%
Your sex or gender (being male, female,	Never	83%	75%	94%	91%	94%	92%	94%	93%
transgender,	Once or twice	8%	16%	3%	6%	3%	5%	3%	5%
genderqueer, genderfluid)^	About once a week	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day	6%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Your gender expression (your style,	Never			82%	76%	86%	80%	87%	85%
dress, or the way you	Once or twice			10%	16%	8%	14%	8%	12%
walk or talk)*	About once a week			2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%
	Several times a week			2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Every day			3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%

* 5th grade surveys did not ask this question.
 ^ Change in question wording from 2019; 5th grade survey item was worded "Your gender (being male or female)".

TABLE 11B BEING BULLIED FOR SPECIFIC REASONS Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
During the last 30 days	how often have	5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
other students harasse		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
of the following reasons	s?	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Because you are bisexual, gay, lesbian,	Never			94%	89%	95%	92%	93%	94%
asexual, pansexual,	Once or twice			3%	7%	3%	6%	3%	5%
queer, or because someone thought you	About once a week			1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
were*	Several times a week			1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day			1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
A physical or mental disability	Never	89%	90%	93%	94%	94%	95%	94%	96%
uisability	Once or twice	7%	7%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	2%
	About once a week	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Several times a week	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Every day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Your size or weight	Never	71%	70%	75%	74%	80%	81%	85%	86%
	Once or twice	19%	21%	16%	17%	12%	13%	9%	10%
	About once a week	4%	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%	2%
	Several times a week	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Every day	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
Your physical appearance	Never	69%	67%	75%	71%	80%	77%	84%	82%
appearance	Once or twice	19%	22%	15%	20%	12%	16%	9%	14%
	About once a week	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%
	Several times a week	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%
	Every day	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%

* 5th grade surveys did not ask this question.

TABLE 12A BEING CYBERBULLIED Black, African or African American only

		Grade								
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	th	
		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, TikTok or other social media)^	Never	76%	72%	87%	84%	89%	89%	91%	90%	
	Once or twice	14%	19%	7%	11%	6%	8%	4%	7%	
	About once a week	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	
	Several times a week	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Every day	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	

^ Change in question wording from 2019.

TABLE 12B BEING BULLIED OR HARASSED AT SCHOOL Black, African or African American only

		Grade									
			th	-	th		th		lth		
During the last 30 d		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
days have other stu		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
pushed, shoved, slapped, hit or	Never	59%	63%	79%	83%	86%	90%	94%	96%		
kicked you when they weren't	Once or twice	28%	27%	15%	12%	9%	7%	4%	3%		
kidding around?	About once a week	7%	5%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%		
	Several times a week	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	0%	0%		
	Every day	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%		
threatened to beat you up?	Never	67%	73%	80%	84%	86%	90%	92%	94%		
	Once or twice	23%	21%	13%	12%	9%	9%	5%	5%		
	About once a week	5%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%		
	Several times a week	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%		
	Every day	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%		
spread mean rumors or lies	Never	61%	58%	73%	71%	82%	78%	87%	85%		
about you?	Once or twice	26%	31%	19%	21%	12%	16%	9%	11%		
	About once a week	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%		
	Several times a week	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%		
	Every day	5%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%		
made sexual jokes, comments	Never			79%	75%	87%	81%	88%	83%		
or gestures towards you?*	Once or twice			10%	16%	7%	12%	6%	11%		
	About once a week			3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%		
	Several times a week			3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%		
	Every day			5%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%		
excluded you from friends, other	Never	68%	56%	84%	72%	89%	76%	90%	83%		
students or activities?	Once or twice	21%	30%	10%	20%	7%	15%	6%	13%		
	About once a week	4%	5%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%		
	Several times a week	2%	4%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	1%		
	Every day	4%	4%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%		
Bullied once or more in the last 30	No	34%	33%	52%	46%	65%	56%	75%	66%		
days^	Yes	66%	67%	48%	54%	35%	44%	25%	34%		
Bullied weekly or more in the last 30	No	74%	75%	79%	80%	88%	84%	90%	89%		
days^	Yes	26%	25%	21%	20%	12%	16%	10%	11%		
Bullied daily in the last 30 days^	No	91%	92%	91%	94%	96%	95%	96%	98%		
	Yes	9%	8%	9%	6%	4%	5%	4%	2%		

* 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 13BULLYING OR HARASSING OTHER STUDENTS AT SCHOOLBlack, African or African American only

					Gra	ade				
	_	5	th	8	th	9	th	11th		
During the last 30 d		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
times at school hav		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
pushed, shoved, slapped, hit or	Never	69%	77%	81%	85%	88%	94%	93%	97%	
kicked someone when you weren't	Once or twice	24%	19%	14%	11%	8%	4%	5%	2%	
kidding around?	About once a week	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Several times a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
	Every day	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
threatened to beat someone up?	Never	80%	85%	81%	87%	88%	92%	90%	93%	
	Once or twice	16%	12%	14%	10%	10%	6%	6%	6%	
	About once a week	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	Several times a week	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Every day	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
spread mean rumors or lies	Never	84%	87%	91%	91%	94%	94%	96%	95%	
about someone else?	Once or twice	12%	11%	6%	7%	4%	5%	2%	4%	
	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Several times a week	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
	Every day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
made sexual jokes, comments	Never			86%	94%	90%	94%	92%	95%	
or gestures towards someone	Once or twice			8%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	
else?*	About once a week			2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Several times a week			1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	
	Every day			2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%	
excluded someone from	Never	81%	80%	89%	87%	92%	92%	94%	93%	
friends, other students or	Once or twice	14%	16%	8%	10%	5%	6%	4%	5%	
activities?	About once a week	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	
	Several times a week	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	
	Every day	2%	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 14AAVAILABILITY OF COMMUNITY PROGRAMSBlack, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8th		9th		11	th
		Male	Female	Male Female	Male Female	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Does your school or community offer a variety of	Yes	47%	46%	62%	60%	64%	61%	62%	59%
programs for people your age to participate in	No	13%	10%	8%	6%	5%	4%	6%	6%
outside of the regular school day?	I don't know what programs are available in my community	41%	44%	29%	33%	31%	35%	32%	36%

TABLE 14B ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

Black, African or African American only

During a typical week, how often do		Grade									
you participate in t	the following	5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth		
activities outside o	of the regular	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
school day?		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
Sports teams, such as park and	0 days	49%	60%	45%	66%	49%	69%	53%	74%		
rec teams, school teams, in-house	1 day	9%	12%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	4%		
teams or traveling teams	2 days	14%	12%	14%	8%	9%	5%	8%	5%		
	3 to 4 days	13%	9%	17%	11%	12%	8%	11%	6%		
	5 or more days	15%	8%	19%	9%	25%	14%	22%	10%		
School sponsored activities or clubs	0 days	77%	80%	84%	80%	80%	77%	81%	69%		
that are not sports, such as drama, music, chess or science club	1 day	9%	9%	5%	9%	8%	10%	7%	11%		
	2 days	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%	5%	10%		
	3 to 4 days	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	6%		
	5 or more days	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%		
Tutoring, homework help or	0 days	73%	73%	81%	80%	79%	80%	79%	74%		
academic programs	1 day	8%	8%	7%	7%	9%	8%	9%	11%		
	2 days	8%	10%	6%	7%	6%	7%	8%	10%		
	3 to 4 days	5%	4%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%		
	5 or more days	6%	5%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%		
Leadership activities such as	0 days	81%	83%	88%	88%	91%	91%	89%	81%		
student government,	1 day	8%	8%	6%	7%	5%	5%	6%	10%		
youth councils or committees	2 days	4%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	7%		
	3 to 4 days	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%		
	5 or more days	4%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%		

TABLE 14C ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES

Black, African or African American only

During a typical we						ade			
you participate in t			ith	-	th	-	th		1th
activities outside o school day?	of the regular	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
Artistic activities, such as music,	0 days	68%	55%	83%	70%	83%	75%	83%	74%
dance, drawing, photography, or	1 day	12%	12%	5%	8%	7%	7%	6%	7%
pottery	2 days	7%	10%	4%	8%	4%	6%	4%	8%
	3 to 4 days	5%	9%	3%	6%	4%	5%	3%	5%
	5 or more days	9%	15%	5%	8%	3%	7%	4%	7%
Cultural heritage programs^	0 days	83%	81%	89%	88%	90%	86%	90%	84%
	1 day	8%	7%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	9%
	2 days	5%	6%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	5%
	3 to 4 days	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	5 or more days	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Physical activity lessons, such as	0 days	69%	76%	77%	85%	82%	85%	82%	88%
tennis or karate	1 day	9%	8%	5%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%
	2 days	9%	7%	7%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%
	3 to 4 days	6%	4%	6%	4%	4%	3%	4%	3%
	5 or more days	7%	4%	6%	3%	6%	4%	5%	3%
Other community clubs and	0 days	89%	92%	93%	95%	93%	96%	93%	96%
programs such as 4-H, Scouts, Y-	1 day	4%	4%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%
clubs or Community Ed	2 days	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	3 to 4 days	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	5 or more days	2%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Religious activities such as	0 days	74%	74%	73%	74%	76%	75%	77%	79%
religious services, education or youth group	1 day	10%	10%	12%	12%	12%	12%	13%	12%
	2 days	8%	9%	8%	9%	8%	8%	7%	7%
	3 to 4 days	4%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	5 or more days	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%

^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 15 **REASONS FOR NOT PARTICIPATING IN ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES*** Black, African or African American only

				Gra	ade		
		81	th	9	th	11	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
IF NO PARTICIPATION: What are the	I do not know what is available in my community.	24%	25%	29%	32%	19%	27%
reasons you don't participate in any activities, programs or clubs outside of the regular school day? (Mark ALL that apply)	Activities are not available in my community.	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%
	Activities cost too much.	4%	11%	6%	12%	4%	11%
	My parents (or guardians) won't let me.	8%	9%	5%	11%	7%	8%
	My friends are not there.	14%	20%	13%	19%	13%	15%
	I am not interested.	63%	61%	59%	52%	56%	56%
	I am too busy with other things, such as a job or homework.	22%	31%	28%	37%	41%	55%
	I don't have a way to get there or home.	9%	19%	9%	25%	15%	26%
	I have to take care of other family members.	6%	13%	6%	14%	6%	13%
	It is not a safe place.	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	Other	19%	18%	14%	14%	18%	15%

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question ^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 16 QUALITY OF YOUTH ACTIVITIES^ Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		5	5th 8th 9th		th	1'	lth		
When you spend time doing activities outside of		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
the regular school day,	-	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
	Rarely or never	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%
	Sometimes	15%	18%	9%	14%	9%	13%	8%	14%
	Often	28%	27%	33%	36%	32%	41%	35%	42%
	Very often	52%	51%	55%	47%	56%	44%	53%	42%
learn skills like teamwork or	Rarely or never	14%	14%	12%	13%	11%	13%	13%	13%
leadership?	Sometimes	29%	28%	27%	33%	30%	33%	27%	26%
-	Often	30%	32%	34%	34%	34%	34%	33%	39%
	Very often	27%	26%	27%	20%	26%	19%	26%	22%
develop trusting relationships with	Rarely or never	17%	16%	12%	16%	12%	17%	12%	17%
peers your age?	Sometimes	27%	32%	22%	34%	27%	35%	26%	32%
	Often	28%	28%	37%	30%	35%	30%	34%	32%
	Very often	27%	24%	29%	20%	27%	18%	28%	19%
develop trusting relationships with adults?	Rarely or never	19%	20%	17%	27%	18%	25%	20%	23%
	Sometimes	31%	33%	34%	38%	34%	41%	31%	39%
	Often	25%	25%	27%	23%	28%	24%	29%	26%
	Very often	26%	22%	22%	11%	20%	10%	19%	12%
help make decisions?	Rarely or never	20%	17%	13%	13%	11%	12%	13%	11%
	Sometimes	39%	43%	36%	43%	37%	44%	34%	37%
	Often	27%	28%	34%	32%	36%	32%	37%	36%
	Very often	14%	13%	17%	11%	15%	12%	15%	15%
do something that	Rarely or never	8%	6%	6%	6%	5%	9%	9%	9%
gives you joy and energy?	Sometimes	18%	21%	16%	27%	18%	28%	21%	28%
	Often	29%	30%	37%	37%	38%	38%	37%	38%
	Very often	44%	43%	41%	31%	39%	25%	33%	24%
learn skills that you	Rarely or never	17%	17%	13%	16%	13%	21%	14%	16%
can use in a future job?	Sometimes	29%	34%	32%	39%	33%	38%	34%	38%
	Often	25%	26%	29%	28%	32%	27%	29%	29%
	Very often	29%	23%	26%	17%	22%	14%	23%	17%

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

TABLE 17 LIVING SITUATIONS Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade				
	-	5	th	8	th	9th		11	1th	
	-	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
	-	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
in a shelter, somewhere	Νο	95%	95%	95%	96%	95%	96%	94%	97%	
	Yes, during the last year	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	
	Yes, more than a year ago	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	Male % 94%	2%	
months, have you stayed in a shelter, somewhere	No			93%	94%	95%	95%	95%	95%	
not intended as a place to live, or someone else's home because you had no other place to stay? (Mark	Yes, I was with my parents or adult family member			2% 2% 4% 3% 93% 94 6% 5 1% 5 4% 3%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	
ALL that apply)*	Yes, I was on my own without any adult family members			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
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			81%	82%	83%	84%	84%	85%	
that apply)*	Yes, I have a parent or guardian in jail or prison right now			4%	3%	4%	2%	3%	1%	
	Yes, I have had a parent or guardian in jail or prison in the past			16%	16%	14%	15%	14%	14%	
IF YOU HAVE OR HAVE Yes HAD PARENT OR GUARDIAN IN JAIL OR PRISON: Did you live with	Yes			57%	53%	41%	51%	50%	53%	
a parent or guardian at the time they went to jail or prison?*	Νο			43%	47%	59%	49%	50%	47%	

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 18 COMMUNICATION WITH ADULTS

Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11th	
		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	85%	80%	80%	69%	79%	66%	74%	66%
	Adult at school	31%	33%	21%	20%	22%	18%	25%	24%
	Some other adult	14%	13%	17%	17%	18%	21%	21%	22%
	I don't have any adults that I can talk to about problems I am having	7%	10%	13%	19%	14%	22%	17%	20%

TABLE 19 PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY AND OTHERS CARING Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		5	th	8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How much do you feel your parents care about you?	Not at all	%	%	%	%	%	%		%
your parents care about you?		1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	A little	2%	3%	1%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%
	Some	4%	5%	6%	9%	7%	12%	Male % 2%	11% 23%
	Quite a bit	8%	9%	15%	19%	17%	23%		
	Very much	85%	82%	77%	67%	72%	59%		60%
other adult relatives care about you?	Not at all	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%	4%
	A little	4%	4%	5%	9%	6%	9%	7%	9%
	Some	12%	10%	13%	18%	14%	23%	16%	22%
	Quite a bit	25%	23%	30%	31%	37%	32%	32%	32%
	Very much	57%	60%	49%	40%	40%	32%	2% 32% 2% 41% 4% 4% 9% 7% 0% 19% 3% 37% 3% 33%	33%
friends care about you?	Not at all	5%	4%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%
	A little	6%	7%	5%	6%	7%	9%	7%	9%
	Some	16%	12%	17%	20%	21%	20%	19%	21%
	Quite a bit	36%	29%	40%	35%	39%	33%	37%	33%
	Very much	37%	47%	36%	37%	30%	33%	// 19% // 37% // 33% // 8%	33%
teachers at school care about you?^	Not at all	6%	5%	7%	10%	7%	8%	3% 7% 16% 32% 41% 4% 7% 19% 37% 33% 8% 16% 35% 26% 15% 14% 19% 33% 20%	8%
	A little	8%	8%	15%	21%	17%	25%	16%	18%
	Some	16%	15%	31%	33%	33%	38%	35%	41%
	Quite a bit	31%	32%	30%	26%	28%	22%	26%	23%
	Very much	38%	41%	17%	11%	14%	7%	71% 3% 13% 16% 16% 16% 16% 132% 16% 32% 16% 33% 33% 19% 33% 16% 33% 25% 16% 26% 15% 14% 33% 26% 15% 26% 14% 26% 14% 20% 14% 20% 14% 18%	10%
other adults at school care about you?^	Not at all	8%	6%	11%	17%	12%	18%	16% 71% 3% 7% 16% 32% 41% 4% 7% 19% 37% 33% 8% 16% 35% 26% 15% 14% 19% 33% 20% 14% 18% 18%	16%
,	A little	11%	11%	19%	22%	19%	26%	19%	25%
	Some	23%	19%	30%	31%	34%	33%	33%	35%
	Quite a bit	28%	31%	26%	21%	24%	16%	20%	16%
	Very much	30%	32%	14%	8%	11%	6%	7% 16% 32% 41% 4% 7% 19% 37% 33% 8% 16% 35% 26% 15% 14% 19% 33% 20% 14% 18%	8%
adults in your community care about you?		10%	9%	12%	19%	14%	21%	18%	23%
• · ·	A little	12%	11%	18%	23%	19%	26%	32% 41% 4% 7% 19% 37% 33% 8% 16% 35% 26% 15% 14% 19% 33% 26% 15% 14% 19% 33% 20% 14% 18% 31%	24%
	Some	22%	19%	28%	28%	31%	29%	31%	29%
	Quite a bit	30%	29%	26%	21%	23%	16%	20%	16%
	Very much	26%	31%	16%	9%	13%	7%	13%	8%

^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 20 ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES* Black, African or African American only

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
• •• •• •		%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you live with anyone who drinks too much alcohol?	Yes	5%	6%	4%	6%	5%	4%
	No	95%	94%	96%	94%	95%	96%
Do you live with anyone who uses illegal drugs or abuses prescription	Yes	3%	3%	3%	2%	6%	3%
drugs?	No	97%	97%	97%	98%	Male % 6 5% 6 95% 6 95% 6 95% 6 94% 6 94% 6 94% 6 94% 6 13% 6 97% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 93% 6 98% 6 98% 6 18% 6 5%	97%
Do you live with anyone who is depressed or has any other mental	Yes	11%	18%	10%	20%	13%	22%
health issues?	No	89%	82%	90%	80%	87%	78%
Does a parent or other adult in your home regularly swear at you, insult	Yes	9%	17%	8%	15%	10%	14%
you or put you down?	No	91%	83%	92%	85%	90%	86%
Has a parent or other adult in your home ever hit, beat, kicked or	Yes	16%	18%	14%	18%	16%	17%
physically hurt you in any way?	No	84%	82%	86%	82%	84%	83%
lave your parents or other adults in our home ever slapped, hit, kicked,	Yes	6%	10%	6%	10%	7%	9%
punched or beat each other up?	No	94%	90%	94%	90%	Male % 5% 95% 6% 94% 13% 87% 10% 90% 16% 94% 3% 97% 3% 97% 2% 98% 64% 18% 5%	91%
Has anyone who was not a relative/family member ever pressured, tricked, or forced you to do something	Yes	2%	8%	2%	7%	3%	8%
sexual or done something sexual to you against your wishes?	No	98%	92%	98%	93%	97%	92%
Has any relative/family member ever pressured, tricked, or forced you to do	Yes	3%	6%	3%	6%	2%	7%
something sexual or done something sexual to you?	No	97%	94%	97%	94%	98%	93%
Have you ever traded sex or sexual activity to receive money, food, drugs,	Yes			1%	1%	2%	1%
alcohol, a place to stay, or anything else?**	Νο			99%	99%	98%	99%
ACEs Score-short^	None	63%	55%	62%	53%	64%	57%
	One	20%	20%	23%	21%	18%	19%
	Two	9%	10%	7%	11%	8%	11%
	Three	4%	6%	5%	7%	5%	5%
	Four or more	4%	9%	2%	7%	5%	8%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.
^ 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 combines the responses to all but the last question in this table plus the responses to the first question about parental incarceration (See Table 17).

TABLE 21 RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE*

Black, African or African American only

		Grade						
		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	6%	6%	6%	3%	5%	4%	
physically hurt you on purpose?	No94%94%94%97%95%96%I been in a casual s relationship ur partner ever hurt or controlledYes9%10%7%10%9%10%No91%90%93%90%91%90%I been in a casual s relationshipYesImage: Second	96%						
Have you been in a casual or serious relationship where your partner ever	Yes	9%	10%	7%	10%	9%	10%	
you?	No	91%	90%	93%	90%	91%	90%	
Have you been in a casual or serious relationship where your partner ever pressured, tricked, or	Yes			4%	5%	5%	9%	
forced you to do something sexual, or did something sexual to you against your wishes?**	No			96%	95%	95%	91%	
Have YOU ever pressured, tricked, or forced someone to do something sexual, or have YOU done something	Yes			2%	1%	2%	1%	
sexual to someone against their wishes?**^	Νο			98%	99%	98%	99%	

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
** 8th grade survey did not ask this question.
^ The response option "not sure" was not included in 2022.

TABLE 22 PHYSICAL HEALTH

Black, African or African American only

		Grade								
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	lth	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
How would you describe your health n general?	Excellent	39%	38%	35%	22%	32%	19%	31%	18%	
	Very good	31%	28%	36%	32%	34%	30%	32%	31%	
	Good	23%	25%	22%	31%	27%	35%	29%	33%	
	Fair	6%	7%	6%	12%	6%	14%	6%	15%	
	Poor	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	Male % 31% 32% 29%	3%	
Do you have any physical disabilities, or long-term health problems (such as asthma, cancer,	Yes	18%	17%	12%	14%	13%	14%	12%	14%	
diabetes, epilepsy or something else)? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.	Νο	82%	83%	88%	86%	87%	86%	88%	86%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have diabetes?	Yes	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	
	No	98%	99%	98%	98%	99%	98%	Male % 31% 32% 29% 6% 2% 12% 88% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 18% 82% 6% 94% 70% 15%	99%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have pre-diabetes?	Yes	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	
	No	98%	98%	98%	97%	98%	97%	Male % 31% 32% 29% 6% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 18% 82% 6% 94% 70% 15%	97%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?	Yes	19%	15%	18%	17%	21%	18%	18%	18%	
	No	81%	85%	82%	83%	79%	82%	Male % 31% 32% 29% 6% 2% 12% 88% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 2% 98% 18% 82% 6% 94% 70% 15%	82%	
Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have an allergy that requires	Yes	6%	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	
you to carry an epi-pen?	No	94%	95%	95%	94%	96%	95%	94%	95%	
Weight status* according to Body Mass Index (BMI)**	Normal or underweight			70%	65%	66%	27% 35% 29% 6% 14% 6% 1% 3% 2% 1% 3% 2% 13% 14% 12% 13% 14% 12% 13% 14% 2% 13% 2% 2% 9% 86% 88% 1% 2% 2% 9% 98% 98% 2% 3% 2% 98% 97% 98% 21% 18% 18% 21% 5% 66% 96% 5% 94% 66% 67% 70% 18% 19% 15%	67%		
	Overweight			15%	20%	18%	19%	15%	18%	
	Obese			16%	15%	16%	15%	15%	15%	

* 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 23 MENTAL HEALTH Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you have any long-term mental health, behavioral or emotional	Yes			10%	21%	10%	22%	12%	26%
problems? Long-term means lasting 6 months or more.*	No			90%	79%	90%	78%	88%	74%
Have you ever been treated for a mental health, emotional or	No	76%	80%	88%	86%	88%	84%	87%	81%
shavioral problem? (Mark ALL that oply)	Yes, during the last year	16%	13%	7%	10%	6%	11%	7%	13%
	Yes, more than a year ago	10%	10%	6%	5%	8%	7%	7%	8%
Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or drug problem? (Mark ALL	No			97%	98%	98%	98%	97%	99%
that apply)*	Yes, during the last year			2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Yes, more than a year ago			1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%
When you are feeling upset, stressed or having problems, how	Very comfortable	19%	14%	13%	8%				
comfortable are you talking to a counselor or social worker at school?**^	Somewhat comfortable	43%	46%	40%	38%				
	Not at all comfortable	31%	35%	43%	52%				
	There is no counselor or social worker at my school	7%	5%	3%	2%				

* 5th grade survey did not ask this question.
** 9th and 11th grade surveys did not ask this question.
^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 24 ORAL HEALTH Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
When was the last time you saw a dentist for a check-up, exam or teeth cleaning or	During the last year	67%	69%	69%	70%	68%	71%	62%	66%
other dental work?	Between 1 and 2 years ago	19%	17%	19%	16%	18%	17%	19%	19%
	More than 2 years ago	9%	8%	9%	10%	9%	10%	13%	11%
	Never	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	3%	6%	4%
Have you had any of the following dental problems during the past 12 months? (Mark ALL that apply)	Toothaches or pain	23%	26%	15%	22%	14%	22%	14%	25%
	Decayed teeth or cavities	15%	13%	9%	11%	8%	10%	7%	13%
	Swollen, painful or bleeding gums	10%	9%	6%	7%	5%	7%	6%	8%
	Could not eat certain foods because of a dental problem	7%	7%	5%	6%	5%	7%	3%	7%
	Missed one or more school days because of a dental problem	12%	8%	6%	6%	5%	6%	3%	3%
	I have not had any of these dental health problems	56%	59%	71%	66%	73%	66%	77%	63%
IF ONE OR MORE DENTAL PROBLEMS: Have you had this dental problem treated	Yes	64%	57%	63%	60%	66%	63%	52%	57%
	No, but I will see a dentist	29%	34%	30%	34%	27%	32%	38%	37%
	No, I am not able to get dental treatment	8%	9%	7%	6%	7%	6%	10%	6%

TABLE 25 PHYSICAL ACTIVITY; SLEEP; EATING MEALS Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1	ith
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 7 days, on how many days were you	0 days	18%	17%	11%	17%	10%	18%	16%	26%
physically active for a total of AT LEAST 60 MINUTES PER DAY?	1 day	9%	11%	5%	10%	6%	9%	7%	10%
	2 days	11%	14%	7%	16%	11%	16%	9%	13%
	3 days	11%	14%	14%	18%	11%	14%	13%	16%
	4 days	11%	11%	12%	11%	14%	10%	10%	10%
	5 days	11%	11%	16%	13%	20%	19%	17%	11%
	6 days	6%	4%	8%	5%	8%	5%	9%	5%
	7 days	22%	17%	27%	11%	22%	9%	18%	9%
During a typical school night, how many hours of	4 hours or less	6%	7%	6%	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%
sleep do you get?	5 hours	4%	5%	7%	10%	11%	16%	14%	18%
	6 hours	9%	7%	13%	16%	17%	24%	26%	27%
	7 hours	16%	12%	24%	22%	26%	24%	27%	26%
	8 hours	24%	21%	32%	28%	27%	18%	18%	15%
	9 hours	19%	22%	12%	10%	10%	7%	5%	3%
	10 or more hours	22%	26%	7%	5%	3%	2%	3%	1%
During the last 30 days, have you had to skip meals because your	Yes	9%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%
family did not have enough money to buy food?	No	91%	94%	95%	95%	94%	95%	94%	94%
During a typical school week, where do you	I usually don't eat lunch.	6%	5%	11%	18%	17%	25%	16%	23%
usually get your lunch? (Mark ALL that apply)	Regular school lunch from the cafeteria	85%	85%	80%	71%	72%	62%	69%	61%
	The a la carte line (buy individual items)	3%	1%	7%	7%	8%	8%	6%	7%
	School store or vending machine	3%	2%	4%	3%	9%	13%	6%	7%
	Fast food restaurant, gas station or somewhere else outside of school	7%	7%	6%	6%	9%	8%	16%	14%
	I bring lunch from home.	13%	21%	10%	16%	8%	12%	9%	18%

TABLE 26A FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CONSUMPTION* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
			th		th		lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 7 days, how		%	%	%	%	%	%
drink 100% fruit juices such as orange, apple or grape juice? (Do not count	I did NOT eat or drink this	13%	18%	16%	23%	21%	24%
punch, Kool-Aid, sports drinks or other fruit-	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	36%	42%	37%	42%	38%	40%
flavored drinks)	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	18%	15%	19%	14%	17%	15%
	1 time per day	9%	7%	8%	9%	7%	9%
	2 times per day	10%	8%	10%	5%	8%	6%
	3 times per day	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	2%
	4 or more times per day	9%	6%	5%	4%	5%	3%
eat fruit? (Do not count fruit juice)	I did NOT eat or drink this	8%	8%	7%	8%	11%	9%
	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	26%	32%	30%	36%	35%	36%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	23%	22%	22%	22%	19%	22%
	1 time per day	12%	10%	13%	11%	11%	12%
	2 times per day	12%	12%	12%	11%	12%	11%
eat green salad.	3 times per day	7%	8%	8%	5%	6%	5%
	4 or more times per day	12%	9%	7%	7%	5%	5%
eat green salad, potatoes, carrots or other vegetables? (Do not count	I did NOT eat or drink this	16%	16%	16%	17%	19%	16%
French fries, fried potatoes, or potato chips)	days	33%	37%	34%	37%	34%	37%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	18%	18%	18%	20%	19%	17%
	1 time per day	13%	11%	15%	11%	13%	13%
	2 times per day	9%	9%	9%	7%	9%	8%
	3 times per day	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	5%
	4 or more times per day	7%	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%
eat from a fast food restaurant, including carry-out or delivery?	I did NOT eat or drink this	19%	22%	21%	18%	17%	17%
	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	62%	61%	59%	66%	60%	61%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	7%	8%	9%	8%	11%	11%
	1 time per day	6%	5%	6%	6%	7%	6%
	2 times per day	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
	3 times per day	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
	4 or more times per day	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%
Servings of fruits, fruit juice and vegetables per day during the last 7	Less than five	77%	80%	80%	85%	84%	87%
days^	Five or more	23%	20%	20%	15%	16%	13%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
 ^ This is a computed variable based on combinations of responses to the first three questions on this table.

TABLE 26B MILK AND WATER CONSUMPTION* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 7 days, how ma	<i>· ·</i>	%	%	%	%	%	%
a glass of milk? (Count the milk you drank in a cup, from a carton, or	I did NOT eat or drink this	17%	34%	19%	42%	23%	43%
with cereal)^	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	21%	28%	23%	27%	26%	27%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	18%	13%	17%	11%	19%	10%
	1 time per day	14%	11%	17%	10%	13%	11%
	2 times per day	14%	7%	10%	6%	10%	5%
	3 times per day	7%	3%	7%	2%	5%	2%
	4 or more times per day	9%	3%	7%	2%	4%	1%
a glass or drink of tap water from a drinking fountain, faucet or sink?	I did NOT eat or drink this	25%	32%	23%	36%	31%	39%
۸۸	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	19%	20%	20%	20%	19%	16%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	12%	9%	13%	9%	11%	10%
	1 time per day	8%	7%	8%	6%	7%	5%
	2 times per day	10%	8%	8%	5%	8%	6%
	3 times per day	6%	7%	9%	7%	8%	7%
	4 or more times per day	21%	18%	19%	17%	14%	17%
a bottle of water (plain water that is not flavored or carbonated)?^^	I did NOT eat or drink this	9%	6%	8%	5%	10%	7%
· · · · · · · · · · · · ,	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	11%	13%	12%	13%	14%	11%
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	15%	17%	12%	16%	13%	13%
	1 time per day	8%	8%	9%	9%	9%	10%
	2 times per day	14%	13%	15%	14%	14%	14%
	3 times per day	13%	13%	13%	14%	15%	15%
	4 or more times per day	31%	30%	30%	29%	24%	29%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
 ^ Change in question wording from 2019.
 ^^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 26C SUGAR-SWEETENED BEVERAGE CONSUMPTION* Black, African or African American only

					ade			
		-	th -	-	th		1th	
During the last 7 days, how ma	ny times did you drink	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	
a can, bottle or glass of pop or	I did NOT eat or drink this	27%	31%	30%	33%	31%	38%	
soda, such as Coke, Pepsi or Sprite (Do not count diet pop or diet soda)	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days					-		
^?		46%	48%	44%	48%	46%	44%	
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	11%	8%	11%	9%	11%	7%	
	1 time per day	8%	7%	6%	5%	6%	6%	
	2 times per day	4%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	
	3 times per day	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
	4 or more times per day	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	
a can, bottle or glass of a sports drink, such as Gatorade or	I did NOT eat or drink this	40%	59%	39%	62%	39%	65%	
Powerade? (Do not count low- calorie sports drinks such as Propel	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	32%	25%	33%	25%	34%	24%	
or G2) [^]	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	11%	6%	13%	6%	12%	3%	
	1 time per day	8%	5%	7%	4%	7%	3%	
	2 times per day	4%	2%	4%	1%	4%	2%	
	3 times per day	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	
	4 or more times per day	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	
a can, bottle or glass of an energy drink, such as Rockstar, Red Bull,	I did NOT eat or drink this	79%	80%	79%	83%	76%	78%	
Ionster or Full Throttle?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	10%	12%	11%	12%	14%	13%	
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	
	1 time per day	4%	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%	
	2 times per day	2%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	
	3 times per day	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	
	4 or more times per day	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	
a can, bottle or glass of coffee or tea that had sugar, syrups or honey	I did NOT eat or drink this	59%	48%	57%	45%	59%	42%	
added to it? (Count coffee/ tea you added a sweetener to/ already had	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	25%	35%	27%	38%	27%	35%	
sweetener, e.g. Arizona Iced Tea/Frappuccinos. Don't count	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	5%	6%	6%	8%	5%	11%	
artificial sweeteners e.g. Splenda/diet drinks)^	1 time per day	6%	8%	7%	5%	5%	7%	
- r · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2 times per day	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	
	3 times per day	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	
	4 or more times per day	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	
a can, bottle or glass of sweetened fruit drinks, such as	I did NOT eat or drink this	32%	33%	38%	42%	41%	48%	
Kool-Aid, Capri Sun or lemonade?	1 to 3 times in the last 7 days	40%	40%	39%	40%	36%	35%	
	4 to 6 times in the last 7 days	11%	11%	10%	10%	11%	7%	
	1 time per day	7%	8%	6%	5%	5%	5%	
	2 times per day	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	2%	
	3 times per day	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	
	4 or more times per day	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
	1	1						

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

TABLE 27 VEHICLE SAFETY Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade				
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	1th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	
When driving a car, truck or SUV, how often do you handle your	I don't drive a car, truck or SUV					78%	86%	39%	49%	
phone to do things like send or read text messages, take pictures, use social media, stream videos, or videochat?*^	I never do this					12%	9%	25%	24%	
	Rarely					5%	2%	18%	15%	
	Sometimes					3%	2%	12%	9%	
	Often					1%	1%	3%	2%	
	Always					1%	0%	3%	1%	
How often do you wear a seat belt when you are driving or riding in a	I don't drive or ride in a car, truck or SUV^^^	3%	2%	1%	1%	14%	12%	9%	7%	
car, truck or SUV?^^	I never do this	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	0%	
	Rarely	4%	2%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	1%	
	Sometimes	11%	9%	10%	10%	6%	8%	6%	5%	
	Often	19%	16%	25%	22%	19%	20%	16%	13%	
	Always	60%	70%	59%	62%	57%	57%	64%	73%	

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask this question.
^ New question in 2022.
^^ 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?
^^^ On the 5th and 8th grade surveys, this response option is worded, "I don't ride in a car, truck or SUV."

TABLE 28A **SELF DESCRIPTION^** Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	th	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
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	16%	14%	6%	9%	6%	10%	10%	13%
	Somewhat or sometimes	29%	35%	22%	36%	25%	43%	30%	43%
	Very or often	37%	35%	39%	35%	39%	31%	35%	28%
	Extremely or almost always	17%	17%	33%	21%	30%	16%	26%	16%
I feel good about myself.	Not at all or rarely	6%	10%	4%	12%	6%	13%	6%	12%
	Somewhat or sometimes	17%	24%	19%	38%	21%	41%	25%	43%
	Very or often	32%	28%	36%	29%	38%	30%	35%	28%
	Extremely or almost always	45%	37%	41%	22%	35%	16%	34%	17%
l feel good about my future.	Not at all or rarely	5%	6%	4%	7%	6%	11%	10%	13%
	Somewhat or sometimes	16%	20%	21%	31%	26%	35%	31%	42%
	Very or often	34%	35%	35%	35%	40%	35%	32%	28%
	Extremely or almost always	45%	39%	40%	27%	28%	19%	27%	17%
I deal with disappointment without getting too upset.	Not at all or rarely	16%	18%	10%	19%	10%	18%	8%	18%
without getting too upset.	Somewhat or sometimes	32%	36%	31%	40%	32%	43%	35%	43%
	Very or often	32%	31%	36%	28%	36%	28%	36%	28%
	Extremely or almost always	20%	15%	24%	12%	21%	11%	22%	11%
I find good ways to deal with things that are hard in my life.	Not at all or rarely	10%	12%	7%	16%	6%	16%	8%	15%
unings that are hard in my me.	Somewhat or sometimes	29%	33%	28%	42%	30%	46%	32%	47%
	Very or often	40%	35%	38%	28%	43%	27%	38%	25%
	Extremely or almost always	21%	20%	27%	14%	21%	11%	22%	13%
I am thinking about what my purpose is in life.^^^	Not at all or rarely	9%	8%	17%	11%	13%	11%	10%	6%
אין אספר אין און איז	Somewhat or sometimes	21%	22%	25%	27%	26%	27%	22%	21%
	Very or often	34%	37%	28%	32%	33%	34%	31%	34%
	Extremely or almost always	36%	34%	30%	30%	28%	29%	37%	40%

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^^ 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."

TABLE 28B SELF DESCRIPTION[^] Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		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 say no to things that are dangerous or unhealthy.	Not at all or rarely	10%	7%	6%	6%	5%	4%	6%	6%
	Somewhat or sometimes	20%	17%	17%	20%	19%	20%	16%	21%
	Very or often	26%	23%	26%	27%	30%	32%	28%	31%
	Extremely or almost always	45%	53%	51%	47%	47%	44%	49%	42%
I build friendships with other people.	Not at all or rarely	8%	8%	6%	10%	9%	14%	11%	13%
	Somewhat or sometimes	28%	29%	21%	32%	26%	36%	30%	38%
	Very or often	40%	39%	40%	36%	38%	32%	34%	33%
	Extremely or almost always	25%	24%	32%	22%	28%	18%	24%	17%
l express my feelings in proper ways.	Not at all or rarely	21%	18%	13%	19%	16%	20%	18%	18%
	Somewhat or sometimes	32%	32%	35%	44%	35%	44%	36%	45%
	Very or often	30%	34%	35%	27%	35%	27%	33%	27%
	Extremely or almost always	17%	16%	17%	11%	14%	8%	14%	10%
I plan ahead and make good choices.	Not at all or rarely	6%	7%	6%	8%	6%	6%	8%	7%
	Somewhat or sometimes	32%	27%	30%	38%	36%	42%	36%	41%
	Very or often	38%	39%	39%	36%	38%	39%	36%	36%
	Extremely or almost always	25%	27%	24%	18%	20%	13%	20%	16%
I stay away from bad influences.	Not at all or rarely	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%
	Somewhat or sometimes	22%	20%	22%	26%	22%	24%	19%	23%
	Very or often	32%	34%	33%	33%	36%	38%	36%	35%
	Extremely or almost always	39%	40%	39%	35%	37%	33%	39%	37%
I resolve conflicts without anyone getting hurt.	Not at all or rarely	10%	8%	8%	5%	6%	6%	5%	3%
anyono gotting nurt.	Somewhat or sometimes	30%	24%	26%	32%	28%	30%	26%	24%
	Very or often	33%	36%	39%	36%	38%	40%	36%	44%
	Extremely or almost always	28%	32%	27%	26%	29%	24%	33%	30%

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TABLE 28C SELF DESCRIPTION[^] Black, African or African American only

					Gra	ade			
		5	ith	8	th	9	th	1'	lth
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	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	4%	1%
	Somewhat or sometimes	10%	5%	13%	8%	12%	7%	11%	4%
	Very or often	31%	26%	35%	26%	38%	30%	36%	26%
	Extremely or almost always	56%	67%	48%	64%	47%	62%	49%	69%
I am sensitive to the needs and feelings of others.	Not at all or rarely	16%	10%	17%	10%	17%	8%	12%	6%
	Somewhat or sometimes	30%	27%	35%	30%	33%	29%	31%	25%
	Very or often	29%	31%	30%	34%	33%	35%	34%	34%
	Extremely or almost always	25%	32%	18%	26%	17%	29%	24%	34%
I feel valued and appreciated by others.	Not at all or rarely	9%	9%	6%	11%	8%	13%	8%	12%
	Somewhat or sometimes	26%	27%	27%	38%	31%	41%	33%	42%
	Very or often	40%	40%	39%	31%	39%	33%	36%	31%
	Extremely or almost always	25%	24%	28%	19%	22%	14%	23%	15%
I am included in family tasks and decisions.	Not at all or rarely	6%	6%	6%	8%	6%	9%	8%	7%
	Somewhat or sometimes	20%	18%	20%	26%	24%	27%	22%	28%
	Very or often	35%	35%	39%	32%	39%	39%	38%	35%
	Extremely or almost always	39%	40%	35%	33%	30%	25%	32%	31%
I am given useful roles and responsibilities.	Not at all or rarely	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%	4%
	Somewhat or sometimes	22%	19%	22%	25%	24%	28%	24%	25%
	Very or often	39%	38%	42%	39%	44%	43%	41%	43%
	Extremely or almost always	33%	38%	31%	31%	28%	25%	29%	28%

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TABLE 29A EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS* Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		8	th	9	th	1'	1th		
Over the last two weeks, ho	ow often have you been	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female		
bothered by?	-	%	%	%	%	%	%		
little interest or pleasure in doing things?	Not at all	46%	35%	46%	33%	43%	29%		
	Several days	30%	37%	31%	38%	33%	37%		
	More than half the days	16%	18%	15%	18%	12%	19%		
	Nearly every day	8%	10%	8%	11%	12%	15%		
feeling down, depressed or hopeless?	Not at all	72%	49%	71%	45%	59%	39%		
	Several days	17%	29%	16%	30%	24%	33%		
	More than half the days	7%	12%	7%	14%	9%	15%		
	Nearly every day	4%	11%	6%	10%	7%	12%		
feeling nervous, anxious or on edge?	Not at all	62%	37%	61%	33%	55%	28%		
	Several days	24%	33%	25%	34%	27%	36%		
	More than half the days	9%	14%	7%	16%	11%	16%		
	Nearly every day	5%	16%	6%	17%	7%	20%		
not being able to stop or control worrying?	Not at all	71%	44%	68%	42%	62%	35%		
	Several days	16%	30%	18%	30%	22%	32%		
	More than half the days	6%	12%	8%	13%	9%	14%		
	Nearly every day	7%	14%	6%	15%	7%	18%		

TABLE 29B EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING AND DISTRESS*

Black, African or African American only

		Gra	ade
		5	th
Thinking back the last 30 days, h	now much do you agree or disagree	Male	Female
with the following statements?		%	%
l worry a lot.	Strongly agree	12%	23%
	Agree	19%	25%
	Neither agree nor disagree	31%	28%
Disagree	Disagree	19%	16%
	Strongly disagree	19%	9%
I sometimes feel sad without knowing why.	Strongly agree	14%	26%
5 9	Agree	21%	28%
	Neither agree nor disagree	21%	17%
	Disagree	17%	16%
	Strongly disagree	26%	14%

* Only the 5th grade survey asked these questions.

	Black, African o	Anican	America				
				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1′	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
During the last 12 months, how many	0 times	86%	74%	88%	77%	85%	79%
times did you do something to	1 or 2 times	7%	11%	5%	11%	5%	12%
purposely hurt or	3 to 5 times	2%	6%	1%	5%	4%	4%
injure yourself without wanting to die, such as	6 to 9 times	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%
cutting, burning, or bruising yourself on	10 to 19 times	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%
purpose?	20 or more times	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	2%
Have you ever seriously considered	No	88%	73%	88%	72%	83%	70%
attempting suicide? (Mark ALL that apply)	Yes, during the last year	7%	18%	6%	17%	8%	16%
	Yes, more than a year ago	6%	12%	8%	15%	10%	18%
Have you ever actually attempted suicide?	Νο	95%	89%	96%	89%	93%	88%
(Mark ALL that apply)	Yes, during the last year	3%	7%	2%	5%	4%	5%
	Yes, more than a year ago	3%	5%	2%	7%	4%	8%

TABLE 30 SELF-INFLICTED INJURY; SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND SUICIDAL BEHAVIOR* Black. African or African American only

TABLE 31 PROBLEMATIC AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR*

Black, African or African American only

				Gra	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
During the last 12 n	nonths, how often	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
have you		%	%	%	%	%	%
run away from home?	Never	94%	92%	95%	94%	94%	95%
	Once or twice	4%	7%	3%	5%	4%	4%
	3 to 5 times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 times	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 or more times	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
damaged or destroyed	Never	80%	86%	85%	91%	87%	92%
property?	Once or twice	14%	10%	11%	7%	10%	6%
	3 to 5 times	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
	6 to 9 times	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 or more times	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
hit or beat up another person?	Never	65%	78%	74%	86%	82%	88%
another person:	Once or twice	24%	16%	17%	10%	11%	8%
	3 to 5 times	6%	3%	5%	3%	4%	2%
	6 to 9 times	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	10 or more times	3%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%
taken something from a store	Never	87%	85%	88%	86%	88%	86%
without paying for	Once or twice	9%	10%	9%	10%	6%	9%
it?	3 to 5 times	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%
	6 to 9 times	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	10 or more times	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

TABLE 32A **GAMBLING BEHAVIOR***

Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
			th	-	th		lth
During the last 12 mont		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
done the following gam Bet on informal games	bling/betting activities? Not at all	%	%	%	%	%	%
of personal skill such		67%	79%	71%	87%	75%	90%
as playing cards, video games, pool, golf, etc.	Less than once a month	13%	10%	13%	7%	13%	5%
^	About once a month	6%	4%	6%	3%	5%	3%
	About once a week	5%	3%	4%	1%	4%	1%
	2 to 6 times a week	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%
	Daily	5%	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%
Bet on formal sports events or games	Not at all	72%	88%	77%	93%	78%	94%
including esports^	Less than once a month	12%	6%	12%	5%	10%	3%
	About once a month	5%	2%	6%	1%	4%	1%
	About once a week	4%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	2 to 6 times a week	4%	2%	2%	0%	2%	0%
	Daily	4%	1%	2%	0%	2%	0%
Bought lottery tickets or scratch offs	Not at all	93%	94%	94%	97%	94%	97%
	Less than once a month	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	About once a month	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%
	About once a week	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Gambled in a casino	Not at all	96%	98%	97%	99%	96%	98%
	Less than once a month	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	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%	1%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Gambled for money online including loot	Not at all	94%	98%	94%	99%	93%	98%
boxes^^	Less than once a month	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	About once a month	2%	0%	2%	0%	2%	0%
	About once a week	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	2 to 6 times a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ New question in 2022.
^^ Change in question wording from 2019.

TABLE 32B GAMBLING BEHAVIOR*

Black, African or African American only

				Gra	ade		
INCLUDES ONLY THOS	E WHO HAVE GAMBLING ACTIVITIES	8	th	9	th	11th	
-	IONTHS: During the last	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
12 months, how often h	ave you	%	%	%	%	%	%
hidden your gambling/betting from	Never	88%	92%	90%	91%	84%	87%
your parents, other family members or teachers?	Sometimes	7%	5%	5%	6%	9%	5%
	Many times	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	5%
	All the time	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	3%
felt that you might have a problem with	Never	92%	95%	91%	94%	88%	92%
gambling/betting?	Sometimes	4%	1%	6%	4%	7%	3%
	Many times	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	4%
	All the time	2%	1%	2%	0%	3%	1%
skipped hanging out with friends who do	Never	93%	94%	95%	98%	90%	92%
not gamble/bet to hang out with friends who	Sometimes	4%	3%	3%	2%	8%	5%
do gamble/bet?	Many times	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	All the time	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	2%

TABLE 33 SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE*^

Black, African or African American only

				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	97%	98%	97%	99%	95%	97%
the past 30 days	Yes	3%	2%	3%	1%	5%	3%
Use of any tobacco products, including e-	Νο	94%	92%	95%	92%	91%	89%
cigarettes and hookah, during the past 30 days	Yes	6%	8%	5%	8%	9%	11%
Frequent binge drinking in the past year (typically drank 5 or more drinks at a	Νο	100%	100%	99%	100%	98%	99%
time and drank on 10 or more occasions during the past year)	Yes	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	1%
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	86%	79%	86%	79%	77%	74%
	Used only alcohol in the past year	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	6%
	Used alcohol and marijuana in past year, but not other drugs	1%	1%	0%	2%	3%	4%
	Used marijuana or other drugs but not alcohol in the past year	10%	15%	10%	14%	11%	13%
	Used alcohol and marijuana or other drugs in the past year	2%	2%	2%	2%	6%	3%

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TABLE 34 SUBSTANCE ABUSE*

Black, African or African American only

		Gra	
		Male	th Female
		%	%
During the last 30 days, have you vaped or used an e-cigarette?^	Yes	3%	2%
	No	97%	98%
During the last 30 days, have you smoked cigarettes?	Yes	2%	1%
	No	98%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you had alcoholic beverages to	Yes	3%	2%
drink such as beer, wine, wine coolers, and liquor?	Νο	97%	98%
During the last 12 months, have you used marijuana (pot, weed) or	Yes	2%	1%
hashish (hash, hash oil)?	No	98%	99%
During the last 12 months, have you sniffed glue or huffed or inhaled the contents of aerosol	Yes	4%	2%
spray cans or other gases to get high?	Νο	96%	98%
During the last 12 months, have you used prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription or	Yes	3%	1%
differently than how a doctor told you to use it?	Νο	97%	99%

* Only the 5th grade survey asked these questions. ^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 35A TOBACCO USE*

Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
			th		th		1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
During the last 30 days, on how many days did you	0 days	%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke a cigarette?		98%	99%	98%	99%	96%	98%
	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
smoke cigars, cigarillos or little cigars?	0 days	98%	99%	98%	99%	96%	99%
	1 to 2 days	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
use chewing tobacco, snuff or dip?	0 days	98%	99%	98%	99%	97%	99%
	1 to 2 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 to 9 days	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
vape or use an e-cigarette that contains nicotine, such as JUUL, VUSE, NJOY, Puff Bar, Blu, or Bidi Stick?^	0 days	96%	93%	96%	93%	92%	90%
	1 to 2 days	2%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%
	3 to 9 days	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	10 to 19 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
use a hookah or a waterpipe to smoke tobacco?	0 days	98%	99%	98%	99%	96%	98%
	1 to 2 days	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	3 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 to 29 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	All 30 days	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%

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

TABLE 35B FLAVORED TOBACCO USE*^ Black, African or African American only

		Grade						
		8	lth	9	th	1'	1th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	
		%	%	%	%	%	%	
IF VAPED IN PAST 30 DAYS: Which flavors of e- cigarettes (or e-juice) have	Tobacco-flavored	9%	4%	9%	3%	10%	3%	
you used in the past 30 days? (Mark ALL that apply)	Menthol or mint	16%	13%	28%	20%	24%	25%	
	Clove or spice	5%	1%	6%	5%	10%	1%	
	Fruit	48%	64%	56%	56%	64%	72%	
	Chocolate	11%	4%	13%	3%	10%	3%	
	An alcoholic drink	7%	3%	16%	2%	10%	0%	
	A non-alcoholic drink	5%	4%	16%	3%	24%	7%	
	Candy, desserts, or other sweets	32%	25%	31%	30%	24%	33%	
	Some other flavor	30%	22%	31%	11%	19%	22%	
	No flavor (unflavored)	14%	8%	6%	5%	10%	6%	
IF VAPED IN PAST 30 DAYS: Student used a flavored e-cigarette in the	Νο	17%	22%	19%	13%	14%	11%	
past 30 days^^	Yes	83%	78%	81%	87%	86%	89%	
IF SMOKED CIGARETTE IN PAST 30 DAYS: Student smoked a flavored (i.e.,	No	87%	94%	82%	100%	77%	81%	
menthol) cigarette in the past 30 days	Yes	13%	6%	18%	0%	23%	19%	
IF SMOKED CIGAR IN PAST 30 DAYS: Student smoked a flavored cigar in	Νο	88%	83%	79%	67%	65%	100%	
the past 30 days	Yes	12%	17%	21%	33%	35%	0%	
IF USED SMOKELESS TOBACCO IN PAST 30 DAYS: Student used	No	81%	89%	93%	100%	67%	100%	
flavored smokeless tobacco in the past 30 days	Yes	19%	11%	7%	0%	33%	0%	
IF USED HOOKAH IN PAST 30 DAYS: Student used flavored hookah in	No	64%	79%	67%	92%	71%	69%	
the past 30 days	Yes	36%	21%	33%	8%	29%	31%	
IF PAST 30 DAYS TOBACCO USE: Student used a flavored tobacco	No	40%	33%	34%	17%	20%	15%	
product in the past 30 days^^^	Yes	60%	67%	66%	83%	80%	85%	

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.
^ All questions on this table were new in 2022.
^^ Tobacco-flavor is excluded from the definition of flavored e-cigarettes.
^^^This is a computed variable based on combinations of responses to two or more survey items.

TABLE 36 ACCESS TO E-CIGARETTES*

Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1'	1th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
IF VAPED IN PAST 30 DAYS: When you vaped or used an e-cigarette during	I bought it at gas stations or convenience stores	17%	4%	9%	8%	13%	21%
the last 30 days, how did you get it? (Mark ALL that apply)	I bought it at grocery, discount or drug stores	12%	3%	15%	2%	8%	7%
	I bought it on the internet	5%	5%	18%	5%	10%	3%
	I bought it at vape shops or other stores that sell only e-cigarettes	12%	8%	12%	2%	18%	16%
	I got it from friends	43%	41%	42%	62%	38%	64%
	I got it from my parents	0%	0%	15%	2%	3%	3%
	l got it from other family members	12%	19%	15%	13%	5%	16%
	l got it from someone l didn't know	12%	5%	9%	2%	13%	7%
	I got it by getting someone else to buy it for me	14%	14%	9%	10%	8%	22%
	I took it from my home	7%	6%	3%	3%	5%	4%
	I took it from a friend's home	2%	6%	3%	2%	10%	3%
	I took it from stores	12%	4%	3%	2%	10%	1%
	I got it some other way	26%	32%	21%	17%	28%	18%

TABLE 37 **EXPOSURE TO SECONDHAND SMOKE AND SECONDHAND** AEROSOL*

		Gra	ade
		5	th
		Male	Female
		%	%
During the last 7 days, have you been in the same room as	Yes	14%	13%
someone who was smoking cigarettes?^	No	86%	87%
During the last 7 days, did you ride in a car with someone who	Yes	11%	10%
was smoking cigarettes?^	No	89%	90%
During the last 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room as someone who was	Yes	10%	9%
vaping or using an e-cigarette?^^	Νο	90%	91%
During the last 7 days, on how many days did you ride in a car	Yes	8%	7%
with someone who was vaping or using an e-cigarette?^^	No	92%	93%

Black, African or African American only

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^ Change in question wording from 2019
^^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 38 ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	ith	9	th	1'	lth
		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
During the last 30 days,	0 days	97%	97%	97%	96%	94%	94%
on how many days did you drink one or more	1 to 2 days						
drinks of an alcoholic		1%	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%
beverage?	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	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 many	0	97%	94%	96%	94%	89%	87%
occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic	1 to 2	2%	3%	2%	4%	4%	6%
beverages to drink?	3 to 5	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	6 to 9	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	10 to 19	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	20 to 39	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	40 or more	0%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%
Generally, how much do you drink at one time?	No alcohol use	97%	95%	96%	95%	90%	88%
,	1 glass/can/drink	1%	3%	2%	4%	4%	6%
	2 glasses/cans/drinks	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	3 glasses/cans/drinks	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%
	4 glasses/cans/drinks	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	5 or more glasses/cans/drinks	0%	0%	1%	0%	3%	1%
Binge drinking (4 or more drinks in a row (females)	-	99%	99%	98%	99%	96%	97%
or 5 or more drinks in a row (males) within a	1 day	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
couple of hours) [^]	2 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 to 5 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	6 to 9 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19 days	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 or more days	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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TABLE 39 ACCESS TO ALCOHOL*

Black, African or African American only

		Grade					
		8	th	9	th	1 [,]	1th
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE W	HO 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	11%	0%	21%	0%	6%	5%
ALL that apply)	I bought alcohol at bars or restaurants	15%	6%	11%	0%	3%	2%
	I bought alcohol at stores	7%	0%	16%	3%	6%	5%
	I bought alcohol on the Internet	4%	0%	16%	3%	3%	5%
	I got alcohol from friends	19%	31%	32%	26%	40%	49%
	l got alcohol from my parents	19%	20%	21%	31%	14%	12%
	I got alcohol from other family members	26%	11%	16%	9%	23%	12%
	I got alcohol by getting someone else to buy for me	11%	6%	16%	0%	9%	20%
	l got alcohol at parties	26%	11%	11%	23%	26%	27%
	I took alcohol from my home	19%	23%	5%	23%	11%	20%
	l took alcohol from a friend's home	11%	9%	21%	11%	6%	17%
	I took alcohol from stores	19%	0%	5%	3%	6%	5%
	l got alcohol some other way	19%	20%	11%	9%	23%	12%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.

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TABLE 40 USE OF MARIJUANA AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS* Black, African or African American only

Grade 8th 9th 11th Female Female Female Male Male Male % % % % % % During the last 30 days, on 0 days 96% 90% 96% 96% 96% 91% how many days did you use marijuana? (Do NOT 1 to 2 days 2% 2% 3% 1% 2% 3% count medical marijuana 3 to 5 days prescribed for you by a 1% 0% 1% 1% 2% 2% doctor) 6 to 9 days 0% 0% 0% 1% 1% 1% 10 to 19 days 0% 0% 0% 1% 1% 1% 20 to 29 days 0% 1% 0% 0% 1% 1% All 30 days 1% 0% 1% 1% 2% 2% During the last 12 months, 0 95% 95% 95% 93% 87% 87% on how many occasions (if any) have you used 1 to 2 2% 2% 2% 2% 4% 3% marijuana or hashish? (Do 3 to 5 NOT count medical 1% 1% 1% 1% 2% 1% marijuana prescribed for 6 to 9 you by a doctor) 1% 1% 0% 0% 0% 2% 10 to 19 0% 0% 1% 2% 1% 1% 20 to 39 0% 0% 0% 1% 1% 1% 40 or more 1% 1% 2% 1% 4% 4% During the last 30 days, on 0 days 97% 97% 98% 97% 95% 98% how many days did you use prescription drugs 1 to 2 days 1% 2% 1% 2% 2% 1% without a doctor's prescription or differently 3 to 5 days 1% 0% 0% 1% 1% 1% than how a doctor told you 6 to 9 days to use it? 1% 0% 0% 0% 1% 0% 10 to 19 days 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 20 to 29 days 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% All 30 days 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 0%

TABLE 41 PRESCRIPTION DRUG USE*

Black, African or African American only

During the last 12 mont				Gra	ade		
occasions (if any) have	you used any of the Irugs without a doctor's	8	th	9	th	1′	lth
prescription or differen	tly than how a doctor	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
told you to use it?	•	%	%	%	%	%	%
Stimulants such as Amphetamines	0	98%	98%	98%	99%	97%	98%
(bennies, speed, uppers) or diet pills	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
uppers) of thet pills	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
ADHD or ADD drugs (Ritalin, Adderall,	0	97%	98%	97%	98%	97%	97%
hyper pills)	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	10 to 19	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Pain relievers such as OxyContin, Percocet,	0	97%	93%	96%	93%	96%	97%
Vicodin or others	1 to 2	2%	4%	2%	4%	1%	2%
	3 to 5	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	0%
	6 to 9	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	10 to 19	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	20 or more	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Tranquilizers such as Valium, Xanax,	0	99%	98%	99%	99%	97%	98%
Klonopin, Ativan,	1 to 2	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
anxiety pills, sedatives or benzos (downers)	3 to 5	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	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 42HALLUCINOGEN, ECSTASY, COCAINE AND HEROIN USE*Black, African or African American only

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

TABLE 43 METHAMPHETAMINE, OVER-THE-COUNTER DRUG, SYNTHETIC DRUG AND INHALANT USE*

		Grade								
		8	th	9	th	1'	1th			
During the last 12 mont		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female			
occasions (if any) have used	<i>you</i> 0	%	%	%	%	%	%			
methamphetamine	•	99%	99%	99%	100%	98%	100%			
(meth, glass, crank, crystal meth, ice)?	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%	1%	0%			
used over-the- counter drugs such as	0	96%	97%	98%	98%	95%	98%			
cough syrup, cold medicine or diet pills that you took only to get high?	1 to 2	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%			
	3 to 5	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	6 to 9	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%			
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
used synthetic	0	98%	99%	98%	99%	97%	99%			
marijuana (K2, Gold) that you took only to get high?	1 to 2	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%			
	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	6 to 9	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%			
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%			
used any other synthetic drugs such	0	98%	99%	99%	99%	98%	100%			
as bath salts (lvory Wave, White Lightning)	1 to 2	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%			
that you took only to	3 to 5	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
get 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%	99%	99%	96%	99%			
of aerosol spray cans	1 to 2	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%			
or other gases to get high?	3 to 5	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	6 to 9	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%			
	10 to 19	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			
	20 or more	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%			

Black, African or African American only

TABLE 44 PERCEIVED RISK OF HARM FROM SUBSTANCE USE* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	1	1th
How much do you think p		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
themselves physically or		%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per	No risk	34%	27%	32%	24%	30%	21%
day?	Slight risk	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%	5%
	Moderate risk	16%	15%	16%	17%	11%	14%
	Great risk	46%	51%	48%	53%	55%	60%
have five or more drinks of an alcoholic	No risk	34%	26%	33%	24%	29%	20%
beverage once or twice per week?	Slight risk	9%	9%	9%	8%	9%	7%
	Moderate risk	20%	24%	22%	25%	19%	22%
	Great risk	38%	41%	37%	43%	43%	51%
use marijuana once or twice per week?	No risk	39%	31%	41%	31%	45%	32%
	Slight risk	14%	17%	17%	21%	20%	23%
	Moderate risk	17%	21%	18%	24%	12%	18%
	Great risk	30%	31%	24%	25%	23%	27%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for them?	No risk	35%	26%	32%	24%	29%	19%
	Slight risk	6%	8%	7%	7%	7%	8%
	Moderate risk	15%	19%	18%	22%	19%	17%
	Great risk	44%	46%	43%	47%	46%	56%
vape or use e- cigarettes?	No risk	34%	27%	32%	24%	29%	20%
	Slight risk	11%	14%	14%	17%	14%	13%
	Moderate risk	19%	24%	24%	27%	24%	29%
	Great risk	36%	35%	30%	33%	33%	37%

TABLE 45A PERCEPTIONS OF PARENTS' DISAPPROVAL OF SUBSTANCE USE* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How wrong do your PARENTS fee		%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke cigarettes?	Not at all wrong	12%	8%	12%	7%	12%	8%
	A little bit wrong	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Wrong	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%	9%
	Very wrong	78%	81%	78%	82%	76%	82%
have one or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every	Not at all wrong	12%	8%	12%	7%	12%	8%
day?	A little bit wrong	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%
	Wrong	8%	9%	9%	9%	8%	7%
	Very wrong	77%	81%	76%	82%	76%	82%
use marijuana?	Not at all wrong	12%	9%	14%	8%	14%	11%
	A little bit wrong	4%	5%	5%	6%	7%	7%
	Wrong	8%	9%	9%	9%	10%	11%
	Very wrong	76%	78%	72%	77%	69%	71%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	Not at all wrong	12%	8%	12%	8%	12%	7%
	A little bit wrong	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%
	Wrong	8%	10%	10%	10%	8%	9%
	Very wrong	78%	79%	76%	80%	78%	80%
vape or use e-cigarettes?	Not at all wrong	12%	8%	12%	7%	11%	8%
	A little bit wrong	2%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%
	Wrong	9%	10%	10%	10%	11%	10%
	Very wrong	78%	78%	75%	79%	74%	77%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions.

TABLE 45B PERCEPTIONS OF FRIENDS' DISAPPROVAL OF SUBSTANCE USE* Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	th
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
How wrong do your FRIENDS fee	l it would be for you to	%	%	%	%	%	%
smoke cigarettes?	Not at all wrong	12%	8%	14%	9%	15%	8%
	A little bit wrong	6%	7%	6%	8%	5%	6%
	Wrong	18%	22%	20%	25%	18%	20%
	Very wrong	64%	63%	60%	58%	61%	66%
have one or more drinks of alcoholic beverage nearly every	Not at all wrong	11%	8%	13%	8%	16%	9%
day?	A little bit wrong	5%	7%	7%	8%	10%	8%
	Wrong	18%	20%	19%	24%	18%	22%
	Very wrong	66%	65%	61%	61%	56%	62%
use marijuana?	Not at all wrong	14%	13%	19%	16%	28%	22%
	A little bit wrong	9%	9%	11%	13%	14%	15%
	Wrong	15%	18%	18%	19%	12%	13%
	Very wrong	63%	60%	53%	52%	45%	50%
use prescription drugs not prescribed for you?	Not at all wrong	12%	9%	13%	8%	14%	7%
	A little bit wrong	6%	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%
	Wrong	15%	18%	18%	23%	18%	19%
	Very wrong	67%	66%	64%	63%	61%	67%
vape or use e-cigarettes?	Not at all wrong	14%	15%	17%	17%	23%	18%
	A little bit wrong	8%	11%	10%	14%	11%	15%
	Wrong	16%	19%	17%	22%	16%	16%
	Very wrong	62%	55%	55%	47%	50%	51%

TABLE 46 PERCEPTIONS ABOUT ALCOHOL USE*

Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%
How do you feel about the following statement?	Strongly agree	64%	62%	63%	59%	57%	57%
Parents and other adults should clearly communicate with their children about the importance of not using alcohol.	Agree	24%	26%	25%	29%	29%	32%
	Neither agree nor disagree	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	6%
	Disagree	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Strongly disagree	6%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%
How do you feel about the following statement? Drinking alcohol is never a good thing for anyone my	Strongly agree	74%	71%	68%	66%	60%	58%
	Agree	15%	17%	20%	22%	22%	27%
age to do.	Neither agree nor disagree	4%	6%	5%	7%	10%	10%
	Disagree	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Strongly disagree	6%	5%	5%	3%	5%	3%
In your opinion, how do you think MOST	Strongly agree	54%	42%	48%	37%	46%	36%
STUDENTS in your school feel about the following statement? Parents and	Agree	28%	34%	32%	35%	29%	37%
other adults should clearly communicate with their	Neither agree nor disagree	10%	18%	15%	22%	19%	20%
children about the importance of not using alcohol.	Disagree	3%	4%	2%	5%	2%	6%
	Strongly disagree	5%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%
In your opinion, how do you think MOST	Strongly agree	59%	46%	48%	37%	46%	35%
STUDENTS in your school feel about the following statement? Drinking alcohol is never a good	Agree	24%	28%	29%	30%	24%	27%
	Neither agree nor disagree	10%	17%	15%	21%	20%	24%
thing for anyone my age to do.	Disagree	2%	6%	4%	9%	5%	11%
	Strongly disagree	6%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%

TABLE 47A USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL, MARIJUANA AND E-CIGARETTES*

Black, African or African American only

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			th Eomalo		th Eomalo		1th Female
How often do you use each	of the following?	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)	v	98%	98%	97%	99%	96%	97%
	Tried once or twice	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%
	Once or twice a year	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Once a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	94%	91%	93%	91%	87%	84%
	Tried once or twice	5%	7%	5%	6%	6%	8%
	Once or twice a year	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%
	Once a month	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Once a week	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	97%	95%	94%	95%	88%	86%
	Tried once or twice	1%	2%	3%	2%	4%	6%
	Once or twice a year	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	Once a month	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Twice a month	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%
	Once a week	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Daily	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	3%
Vaping device or e-cigarette with nicotine [^]	Never	94%	91%	94%	91%	89%	85%
	Tried once or twice	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	7%
	Once or twice a year	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Once a month	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Twice a month	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Once a week	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%
	Daily	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	4%
Vaping device or e-cigarette with	Never	97%	95%	96%	94%	90%	90%
marijuana, THC or hash oil, or THC wax^	Tried once or twice	1%	2%	1%	3%	4%	4%
	Once or twice a year	0%	1%	0%	0%	2%	1%
	Once a month	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Twice a month	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%
	Once a week	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Daily	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%

* 5th grade survey did not ask these questions. ^ New question in 2022.

TABLE 47B PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS' USE OF TOBACCO, ALCOHOL, MARIJUANA AND E-CIGARETTES*

Black, African or African American only

				ade			
			th		th	11th	
In your opinion, how often		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
STUDENTS in your school (Tobacco (cigarettes, chew)		%	%	%	%	%	%
Tobacco (cigarettes, criew)		79%	66%	66%	48%	66%	56%
	Tried once or twice	13%	19%	16%	23%	13%	20%
	Once or twice a year	3%	3%	3%	6%	4%	5%
	Once a month	1%	3%	4%	6%	3%	6%
	Twice a month	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%
	Once a week	1%	2%	3%	8%	4%	3%
	Daily	2%	4%	6%	7%	7%	6%
Alcohol (beer, wine, liquor)	Never	73%	55%	59%	36%	53%	39%
	Tried once or twice	15%	23%	14%	20%	13%	12%
	Once or twice a year	4%	8%	7%	9%	4%	7%
	Once a month	2%	5%	6%	9%	6%	10%
	Twice a month	2%	4%	4%	10%	6%	14%
	Once a week	2%	3%	5%	10%	13%	12%
	Daily	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%
Marijuana (pot, hash, hash oil)	Never	77%	60%	61%	40%	54%	38%
()))	Tried once or twice	11%	17%	12%	17%	8%	10%
	Once or twice a year	3%	4%	3%	5%	4%	5%
	Once a month	2%	3%	4%	5%	4%	6%
	Twice a month	1%	3%	2%	7%	4%	7%
	Once a week	3%	5%	8%	10%	8%	12%
	Daily	4%	8%	10%	16%	18%	20%
Vaping device or e-cigarette with nicotine [^]	Never	64%	43%	52%	32%	48%	35%
0	Tried once or twice	13%	15%	12%	11%	8%	7%
	Once or twice a year	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Once a month	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%
	Twice a month	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%	4%
	Once a week	4%	7%	7%	7%	6%	8%
	Daily	11%	24%	22%	42%	30%	42%
Vaping device or e-cigarette with	Never	73%	54%	59%	38%	53%	39%
marijuana, THC or hash oil, or THC wax [^]	Tried once or twice	10%	16%	9%	11%	8%	9%
	Once or twice a year	2%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%
	Once a month	2%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%
	Twice a month	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	5%
	Once a week	3%	5%	6%	9%	7%	9%
	Daily	8%	15%	16%	30%	25%	31%

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TABLE 48A CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE* Black, African or African American only

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			th .		th		1th
During the last 12 months		Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %	Male %	Female %
During the last 12 months have you found that you	Did not use past 12	87%	70 80%	87%	70 80%	78%	76%
had to use a lot more alcohol or drugs than	months			0			
before to get the same effect?	Yes	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%
	No	12%	18%	12%	17%	19%	20%
have you tried to cut down on your use of	Did not use past 12 months	87%	80%	87%	81%	78%	76%
alcohol or drugs but couldn't?	Yes	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%
	No	12%	18%	12%	18%	19%	21%
have you continued to use alcohol or drugs even	Did not use past 12 months	87%	81%	87%	81%	78%	76%
	Yes	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	No	12%	18%	12%	18%	19%	21%
were there any times when you felt such a	Did not use past 12 months	87%	81%	88%	82%	79%	77%
strong desire or urge to drink alcohol or to use a drug that you couldn't	Yes	2%	4%	1%	4%	3%	4%
resist or could not think of anything else?	No	11%	15%	10%	15%	18%	19%
how many times have you spent all or most of	Did not use past 12 months	87%	80%	87%	81%	78%	76%
the day using alcohol or drugs, or getting over their effects?	0 times	11%	18%	11%	17%	17%	19%
	1 time	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	2 times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%
how many times have you given up important	Did not use past 12 months	87%	80%	87%	81%	78%	76%
social or recreational activities like sports or being with friends or	0 times	11%	18%	11%	18%	19%	22%
relatives to use alcohol or drugs or to get over their	1 time	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
effects?	2 times	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
how many times have you missed work or	Did not use past 12 months	87%	80%	87%	81%	78%	76%
school, or neglected other major responsibilities because of alcohol or drug	0 times	12%	18%	12%	18%	20%	22%
use?	1 time	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	2 times	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%

TABLE 48B CONSEQUENCES OF SUBSTANCE USE*

Black, African or African American only

				Gr	ade		
		8	th	9	th	11	lth
		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			87%	81%	78%	76%
after using alcohol or drugs?**	0 times			12%	18%	18%	22%
	1 time			0%	0%	1%	2%
	2 times			0%	0%	1%	0%
	3 or more times			0%	0%	2%	1%
how many times have you hit someone or become violent while	Did not use past 12 months	87%	81%	87%	81%	78%	76%
using alcohol or drugs?	0 times	12%	19%	12%	19%	19%	23%
	1 time	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	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	87%	81%	87%	81%	78%	76%
or drugs that the next day you could not remember	0 times	11%	17%	11%	18%	17%	20%
what you had said or done?	1 time	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%
	2 times	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
how many times have you used more alcohol or	Did not use past 12 months	87%	81%	88%	81%	78%	76%
drugs than you intended to?	0 times	12%	18%	12%	18%	18%	20%
	1 time	0%	1%	0%	1%	2%	2%
	2 times	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3 or more times	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	1%
how many times has alcohol or drug use left	Did not use past 12 months	87%	81%	88%	81%	79%	76%
you feeling depressed, agitated, paranoid, or	0 times	11%	17%	11%	17%	18%	21%
unable to concentrate?	1 time	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	2 times	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%
	3 or more times	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

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

TABLE 49 **SEXUAL BEHAVIOR*** Black, African or African American only

		Grade						
		9	th	11	th			
		Male	Female	Male	Female			
		%	%	%	%			
Have you ever had sex?^	Yes	12%	4%	24%	15%			
	Νο	88%	96%	76%	85%			
IF EVER HAD SEX: During the last 12 months, with how many different people have you had sex with? [^]	None	90%	97%	82%	88%			
	1 person	4%	2%	8%	8%			
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	2 persons	2%	1%	3%	1%			
	3 persons	1%	0%	3%	1%			
	4 persons	0%	0%	0%	1%			
	5 persons	1%	0%	1%	0%			
	6 or more persons	2%	0%	4%	1%			
IF EVER HAD SEX: Did you drink alcohol or use drugs	Yes	10%	17%	15%	14%			
before you had sex the LAST time?^	Νο	90%	83%	85%	86%			

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

TABLE 50 **PREVENTION OF PREGNANCY AND INFECTION***

Black, African or African American only

			Gra	ade	
		9th		11th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE EVER HAD SEX		%	%	%	%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about protecting yourselves from getting sexually transmitted infections/HIV/AIDS?	Never	33%	28%	28%	22%
	Not with every partner	7%	3%	8%	11%
	At least once with every partner	60%	69%	64%	67%
Have you talked with your partner(s) about preventing pregnancy?	Never	34%	54%	24%	20%
	Not with every partner	7%	0%	5%	9%
	At least once with every partner	59%	46%	71%	71%
The LAST time you had sex, what method or methods did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy? (Mark ALL that apply)^	No method was used to prevent pregnancy	10%	20%	11%	9%
	Birth control pills	20%	16%	35%	27%
	Condoms	56%	36%	54%	52%
	Depo-Provera shot (or any birth control shot), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring)^^	4%	8%	4%	9%
	Nexplanon (or any implant) or Mirena (or any IUD)^^	5%	0%	4%	7%
	Withdrawal (pull-out)	25%	20%	28%	21%
	Some other method	3%	0%	1%	1%
	Not sure	6%	4%	2%	3%
	Not applicable^^^	9%	16%	7%	9%
The LAST time you had sex, did you or your	Yes	60%	41%	64%	63%
partner use a condom?	Νο	40%	59%	36%	37%

* 5th and 8th grade surveys did not ask these questions.
^ Change in question wording from 2019.
^^ Change in response option wording from 2019.
^^ New response option in 2022.

TABLE 51 **RESOURCES IN THE HOME (PROXY FOR SES)^** Black, African or African American only

		Grade							
		5th		8th		9th		11th	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
About how many books are there in your home?	Few (0-10)	29%	22%	29%	26%	30%	26%	32%	27%
	Enough to fill one shelf (11-25)	31%	29%	30%	28%	31%	29%	31%	28%
	Enough to fill one bookcase (26-100)	27%	34%	29%	32%	26%	32%	25%	31%
	Enough to fill several bookcases (more than 100)	12%	14%	12%	14%	13%	13%	11%	14%
Do you have any of the following in your home?	Access to the internet	97%	98%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%
	Your own bedroom	64%	55%	80%	74%	83%	73%	85%	76%
	A desktop or laptop computer (including Chromebooks) that you can use	70%	73%	88%	90%	91%	90%	92%	92%
	A tablet (for example, Surface Pro, iPad, Kindle Fire) that you can use	61%	71%	62%	68%	59%	64%	60%	64%
	A smartphone (for example, iPhone, Samsung Galaxy, HTC One) that you can use	70%	75%	94%	96%	97%	98%	98%	99%
		10%	15%	94 %	90%	91%	9070	90%	9970

^ New questions in 2022; source: National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) (https://nces.ed. gov/nationsreportcard/pdf/researchcenter/socioeconomic_factors.pdf).